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THE GROWTH OF AVIATION

The B-50 the world's largest bomber and pride of the Air Force, has completed a round-trip flight from Ft. Worth to Honolulu, non-stop, a distance of 9,400 miles.

While listed as a routine training flight, the big ship demonstrated its possibilities in war. Carrying a useful bomb load, aviation officials said the achievement was well within the ordinary capabilities of the plane. The bomb load was reported to have weighed 10,000 pounds, sufficient to do great damage to an enemy.

Nothing has been more amazing than the growth of aviation during the 45 years of its history. Forty-five years almost to a day the Wright brothers made the first successful demonstration of plane flight, at Kitty Hawk. Their crude invention traveled a distance of 852 feet and remained in the air 59 seconds.

That effort, so puny in contrast to the recent achievement of the B-36, illustrates the growth of aviation, progress which must be attributed largely to American genius and industry.

As large as three five-room houses, with a tail-assembly as tall as a four-story building, the B-36 carries a gross load of 278,000 pounds and travels at a speed of 350 miles an hour. Truly man has conquered the air, giving aviation an important place in world affairs, whether for peace or war. And all this in little more than four decades.

CALENDAR TIME AGAIN!

New calendars have been arriving, one at a time, for weeks, but in the next few days examples of this distinctly American form of art may arrive in a torrent, if one is on the right mailing lists.

Not since before the war have so many business concerns procured plain and fancy calendars, suitably imprinted, for the edification of their customers. If the illustrations this year seem less daring than on occasion in the past, blame it on progress.

Calendar manufacturers have sampled public opinion, it seems. They have discovered that 65 per cent of their output is hung on the kitchen wall.

Lynnville Society Pays Tribute To Deceased Member

The Lynnville Christian Ladies' Aid paid tribute to a deceased member, Mrs. Kate Stephenson, at its meeting Wednesday with Mrs. Alvin Coates. In honor of Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. Lee Myers read a poem entitled "Crossing the Bar."

Preceding the meeting a potluck dinner was served, with Mrs. Zoe McCarty and Mrs. Margaret Hill as assistant hostesses. Holiday decorations were used throughout the time.

Mrs. Henry Mason, president, presided over the business session. Devotions were led by Mrs. Robert Headen who read "The Christmas Story." Reports were heard from the Penny Fund chairman and from the secretary and treasurer. Mrs. Stella Cox reported on the Christmas card sale. The society voted a donation of \$10 to the Salvation Army.

Mrs. Sallie Heaton and Mrs. Stella Cox had charge of the program. Several Christmas carols were sung by the group. Mrs. Lee Myers gave two Christmas readings. Yuletide games were led by Mrs. Cox. Gifts were placed under the tree for the gift exchange which followed. Members also brought gifts to be put in a basket for Mrs. Isabelle Powell, who is ill.

Marion M. Beach Heads Jerseyville Junior C. of C.

Jerseyville—The newly organized Junior Chamber of Commerce of Jerseyville has elected officers for the ensuing year. Marion M. Beach is president; Interior Vice-President is Byron Gary; Exterior Vice-President, Maurice Wilson; Secretary, Attorney Claude Davis; Treasurer, William Brockman; Directors, Paul Fleming, Edward Roady, Dr. H. E. Wuestenfeld; Attorney John Self, O. K. Donham, Charles Adams, Paul Maupin and James Norris.

The organization has for its first project the sponsoring of a community Christmas tree for the Jerseyville children and those of the surrounding community. The tree has been erected on the bandstand in the court house yard and Santa Claus will be present at eight o'clock Christmas eve to distribute candy and oranges to the young children.

Scouts Pinch-Hit For Santa Claus



The toys in the nursery of Central Christian church get quite a bawling around. Wheels come off, handles "just break and the paint 'falls off.' Boy Scout Troop 101, sponsored by the church, decided to give the toys a complete overhauling and painting job. Shown with their work are, left to right: Gordie May, Bill Spire, Bob Staples, Allyn Pontius, Bob Black and Fred Goodey.

Russel L. Vernor is the scoutmaster.

W. H. Galloway Of Murrayville Dies Saturday

W. H. Galloway of Murrayville, a well known retired farmer, died at noon Saturday at the Green nursing home, 221 East Beecher avenue, after a three week's illness.

Mr. Galloway was born May 5, 1871, at Woodson, the son of James W. and Ann Elizabeth McCallister Galloway. He was united in marriage with Leah E. Smith on Dec. 27, 1893.

Surviving are his wife and three children, Mrs. Charles Riggs of Woodson; Ray Galloway of San Gabriel, Calif., and J. C. Galloway of Los Angeles, Calif., two grandsons, Philip W. Riggs of Siloam Springs, Ark., and Jimmy Galloway of Los Angeles; one great grandchild, Judy Riggs; one sister, Mrs. Clarence York of Jacksonville, and one nephew, Ormand York.

Mr. Galloway united with the Woodson Christian church at an early age.

The remains are at the Gillham Funeral Home, where the family will meet friends Sunday from 3 to 5 p. m., and 7 to 9 p. m.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p. m. at the Woodson Christian church with Rev. A. D. Hermann officiating.

Burial will be made in Murrayville cemetery.

County's Tallest Christmas Tree On Rees Elevator

What is believed to be Morgan county's "tallest" Christmas tree is attracting much attention these nights at Rees station. The brilliantly lighted tree is mounted atop the new grain elevator, from which it is visible for miles around.

Travelers along State Route 104 are at first baffled by the colored lights that appear to be "in the sky." When they approach Rees station, a short distance south of the highway, they get a closeup of the attractive display.

"Santa Claus will have to have a long ladder to get up to that tree," a traveler said as he stopped to admire Rees station's contribution to the Christmas scene.

Bates-New Berlin Mission Society Holds Meeting

New Berlin—Mrs. Earl Coulter entertained members of the Bates-New Berlin Mission society at her home here Thursday afternoon. A short business session was conducted. Mrs. Roberts led devotions, after which a talk on "Peace" was given by the Rev. E. B. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Fulton and daughter Pat who is worthy adviser of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, Jacksonville assembly No. 19, attended a banquet held in Beards-town in honor of the grand worthy adviser of Illinois, Mrs. Mabel Olsen, mother, adviser, and Ernest Pires, dad adviser, and several girls from this assembly also attended.

RNA At Ashland Elects Officers

Ashland—At the regular meeting of the Royal Neighbor lodge held Thursday night, the following officers were elected: orator, Elmer Spicer; vice orator, Edith Caswell; past orator, Martha McCready; chancellor, Letta Hammack; recorder, Jeannette McDaniel; receiver, Louise Shelton; marshal, Cora Moore; inner sentinel, Letta Bass; outer sentinel, Rose Hinds; managers, Rose Hinds, Cora Moore and O. N. McDaniel; physician, Dr. Wollaver.

Jack Fitzgerald, a junior at Notre Dame university, South Bend, Indiana, was one of 28 members of the Commerce Forum chosen to be guests of the General Motors Corporation in Detroit, Michigan on Dec. 15 and 16. Jack is the son of Mrs. Mayne Fitzgerald of this city.

Social Events

Asbury Society Has Christmas Program
A Christmas meeting of the Asbury W.S.C.S. was held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Hemmrich, who was assisted by Mrs. W. C. Carter, Mrs. Frank Crawley and Mrs. Dale White.

Twenty members were present at the potluck dinner, which was followed by a business session in charge of the president, Mrs. Lawrence Hemmrich. A collection amounting to \$16 was taken for the Oak Lawn sanitarium stove fund. Donations of \$10 each were voted to the Cunningham school and Salvation Army.

Mrs. Harold Sooy, program chairman of the day, presented Miss Elizabeth Hemmrich who gave an interesting history of several Christmas carols. She also gave a description of Warner Sullivan's painting of Christ. Mrs. Sooy and Mrs. Gladys Hemmrich presented Christmas readings. The group joined in the rendition of several carols.

During the social hour gifts were exchanged and games were played.

Families Gather Around Tree At Northminster
The Couples class of Northminster church held its annual Christmas meeting in the church dining room, Friday evening. Families came for the supper hour at 6:30 o'clock.

Plans were made by the Good-Deed Committee for the class to participate in the giving of Christmas food baskets.

Late in the evening all gathered around the lighted Christmas tree for carol singing, games and a program presented by the children.

The teacher, Coroner Souza, was presented a gift by the class which was followed by a gift exchange for all.

Missionary Meeting At Northminster Church
The December missionary meeting of Northminster church was held Thursday afternoon in the church parlor.

Mrs. George Coraor was in charge of the business session. Officers elected for the new year were as follows: president, Mrs. George Coraor; vice-pres., Mrs. L. A. Vasconcellos; secretary, Mrs. Paul DeFries; treasurer, Mrs. William Bieber; assistant, Mrs. Lawrence Smith; literature, Mrs. Lilly Sears; Missionary Education, Mrs. Vivian Albright; Spiritual Life and Stewardship, Mrs. Carrie Smith; social education and action, Mrs. Thomas Fernandes; program counselor, Mrs. Percy Fernandes and youth advisor, Mrs. C. Frank Janssen.

The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. E. H. Sheppard and Mrs. Henry Bodensick who presented a number of ladies in a candle-lighting service with Mrs. Anna Estaque as reader and Mrs. Clyde Vasconcellos as soloist.

Gifts made by children of the Junior Bible Hour to be sent to Indian children at Gonado, Arizona, were on display.

Mrs. Jackson Entertains Christian Church Group
Fifteen members and two guests were in attendance at a meeting of Group 4 of the Women's Council of Central Christian at the home of Mrs. Arthur Jackson, 608 North Prairie street, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. James Robson, leader, was in charge of the business meeting. Devotions led by Mrs. Francis Plouer included group singing of a Christmas carol, the Christmas story in Luke 2 and an article, "Every Day Christmas," closing with prayer.

The guest speaker, Mrs. Lawrence Paset, was introduced by Mrs. B. C. Lair, chairman of patriotism. Mrs. Paset spoke on "The United Nations."

The mission lesson on Hawaii was given by Mrs. Robson.

Mrs. D. M. Hamey, president of the women's council, was guest. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Jackson and her assistant, Mrs. Jesse Moore.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Carl Swanson of South East street.

WORLD'S OLDEST
The oldest effective insurance company in the world is Lloyd's of London, named for an 18th century coffee house where merchants gathered to exchange trade information.

Rev. Collins Will Begin Centenary Pastorate Today

"The Christmas Story" will be the subject of Rev. John W. Collins when he delivers his first sermon Sunday morning as newly appointed pastor of Centenary Methodist church.

Rev. Collins, who has been pastor at Bondville, Ill., seven miles from Champaign, succeeds Rev. J. Campbell as pastor of Centenary. Rev. Campbell was assigned by Bishop J. Ralph Magee to the Kedzie Avenue church Chicago.



REV. JOHN W. COLLINS

While pastor of the Bondville church Rev. Collins was a student at Garrett Biblical Institution at Evanston. He was elected chairman of social activities by the student body there.

Rev. Collins, a native of Princeton, Ind., is a veteran of World War II. He has served two pastoral charges, Grandview, Ind., and Bondville. He was united in marriage in 1940 with Miss Imogene Daughan. They have a three year old daughter, Linda Kay.

Mrs. Pearl Gooch, Former Resident, Dies In Iowa

Mrs. Mazie Young, 315 Anna street, received word Saturday morning of the death of Mrs. Pearl Gooch, a former resident of this city, which occurred Friday night at the home of her son, the Rev. Harry Stone at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mrs. Gooch resided in this city until a few months ago when she went to the home of her son. Her daughter, Mrs. Helen Johnson of Jacksonville was at her bedside.

The body will be brought to Jacksonville for burial.

Sunshine Friends Revealed By Club At Nortonville

Sunshine Friends were revealed in response to roll call at the Nortonville Community club's Christmas party, held with Mrs. Winifred Robinson and Mrs. Dorothy Oxley as hostesses.

Nineteen members and the following guests were present: Mary Ruth McLamar, Mrs. Vena Sorrells, Mrs. Meda Chaudoin, Mrs. Nadine Wilcox, Mrs. Minnie Bolton and daughter, Helen. Mrs. Grace Oxley, Mrs. Frances Mutch and daughter, Charla Marie, Marjorie Mutch and Lawrence and Harry Lee Whitlock.

Mrs. Lulu Vedder, vice president, had charge of the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Lucille Oxley, who was unable to attend. The pledge to the flag was led by Mrs. Ethel Newingham. Mrs. Mabel Whitlock, who had charge of the program, read the first chapter of St. Luke and "Herman's Ding Ho Christmas." Christmas carols were sung by the group.

A gift exchange was held following the meeting. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held Jan. 7 with Mrs. Ethel Seymour.

Heart diseases caused 300,000 deaths, and cancer 135,000, during a single year.

Opportunity For Commissions In National Guard

New, easier methods of obtaining second lieutenants' commissions in the Illinois National Guard where suitable vacancies exist were outlined Saturday by Capt. Quinlan in announcing the new recruiting policy which authorizes Company G, 123d Infantry to accept members until ceiling strength is achieved.

First, he said, former World War II officers and noncommissioned officers of the first three grades may be appointed National Guard officers—the former if they meet age in grade requirements and the latter if they are under 32 years of age.

Secondly, Guardsmen who complete a minimum of one year of service, are between 21 and 32 years of age and successfully complete the 10 series of Army extension courses may be appointed second lieutenants where vacancies exist.

Former enlisted men with at least six months of wartime service in the Armed Forces, not over 28 years of age, and graduates of accredited colleges or universities may be commissioned as National Guard officers providing the institution offered no advanced ROTC course or the academic period did not permit the

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Junior Red Cross Makes Favors For Vets At Danville

A total of 3,300 articles, consisting of tray covers, nut cups, and tray favors, were shipped from the Morgan County Red Cross chapter to the Veterans Administration hospital at Danville, to help the many patients in that institution celebrate the Christmas holidays.

Three thousand Christmas deco-

rations and articles were made by the students in the Jefferson school under the direction of Miss Margaret Schoedack, art instructor for the city public schools, assisted by the teachers in that school. The balance of 300 were made by the students in the David Prince Junior high school, under the direction of Miss Katherine Touissant.

TO GET FURLOUGH
Recruit Earl Eugene Lyons, who is stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., will arrive home Wednesday to spend a seven-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lyons, 316 East Lafayette avenue.

RED CROSS MEETING
Dr. Malcolm F. Stewart, chairman of the Morgan County Red Cross chapter, is calling a meeting Tuesday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p. m. in the Red Cross office. This is an important meeting and all directors are urged to be present.

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Tues. and Wed. 7:30
WINTER WONDERLAND
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A CHRISTMAS DREAM

Beardstown PRINCESS Theatre
Sun. cont. from 1 Mon. 7:15-9:15
CHRISTMAS EVE
Geo. Brent, Randolph Scott

Tuesday 7:15 and 9:15
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In Technicolor with
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Joe E. Brown

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Monday 2:30 and 7:30
Mon. and Tues. 8:00
ON AN ISLAND WITH YOU
In Technicolor with
Esther Williams, Peter Lawford

MEREDOSIA

Meredosia—The American Legion Christmas party will be held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A potluck supper will follow the program.

The Kentucky Harmony Singers, a female negro quartet, presented a program of sacred music last Sunday evening at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Lloyd Lathrop attended the meeting of the executive board of the Moran county Women's club held recently in Jacksonville.

Luther Rice returned home recently from the Passavant hospital, where he underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Browning and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kistner enjoyed a trip to St. Louis recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ringhouse and daughters are now living in the Roy Gerecke home.

Mrs. Mary Starks returned home Friday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Hoffman, La Paulta, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burdick and Mrs. L. H. Yost spent Saturday in Mt. Sterling.

The onion belongs to the lily family.

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Masonic Lodge At Ashland Has Installation Rites

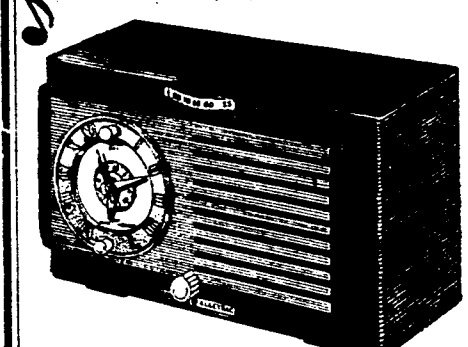
Ashland—Installation of the Masonic lodge officers was held in the Masonic hall Monday night. Those installed were: worshipful master, Harold Ratliff; senior warden, Nate Wright; junior warden, John Kruse; treasurer, H. J. Lohman; secretary, Charles Forman; chaplain, Don Gainer; senior deacon, Carl Orne; junior deacon, Vern Michael; senior steward, Paul Hammock; junior steward, Paul Moore; marshal, Ralph Weber and Tyler, Ray Conkey. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Clemens received a birth announcement of a daughter to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis L. Clemens of Kansas City, Mo.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Alonso McKee to Dola Lee McKee lot 79 in Car Shops addition, city. George S. Ceanetos to Dennis P. Haikalis, part lot 5 in block 16, City addition, Jacksonville. August Wedein to Maggie A. Rex-rook, part lot 1 in Duncan Grove addition, city.

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LEATHER BACK GLOVES \$1.95

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GORGEOUS PLYMOUTH LACE CLOTHS \$4.98

Intricate designs in sturdy, lovely long wearing lace dinner cloths in large 72 x 90 size.

SALE! CHENILLE BED SPREADS \$7.95

Regular \$10 values! Fine pin point chenilles in rich designs. Full double bed size.

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For HER
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Beautiful lucite handle styles in rayon plaid and novelty border designs.

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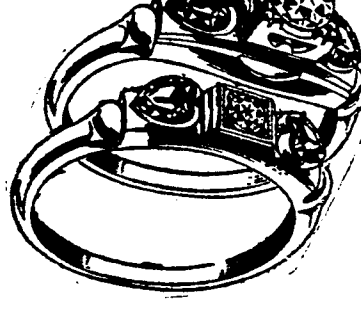
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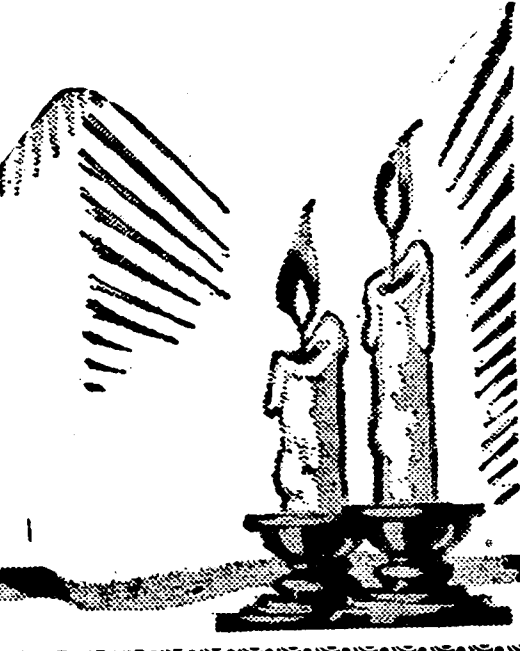
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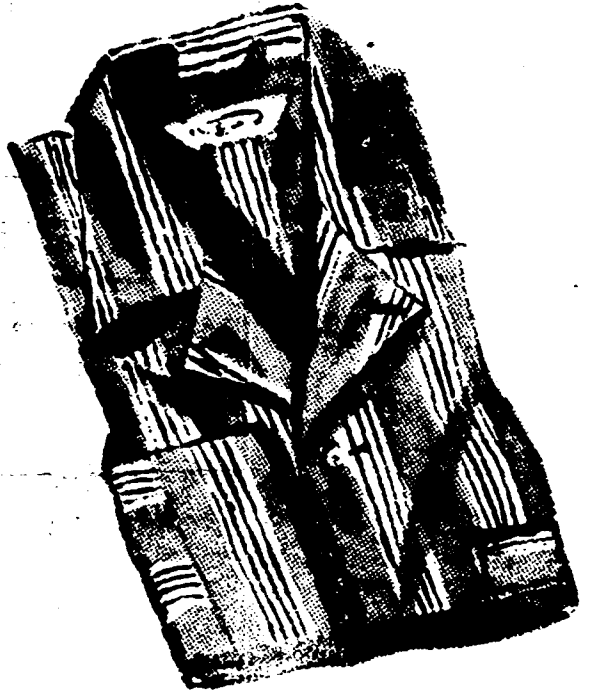
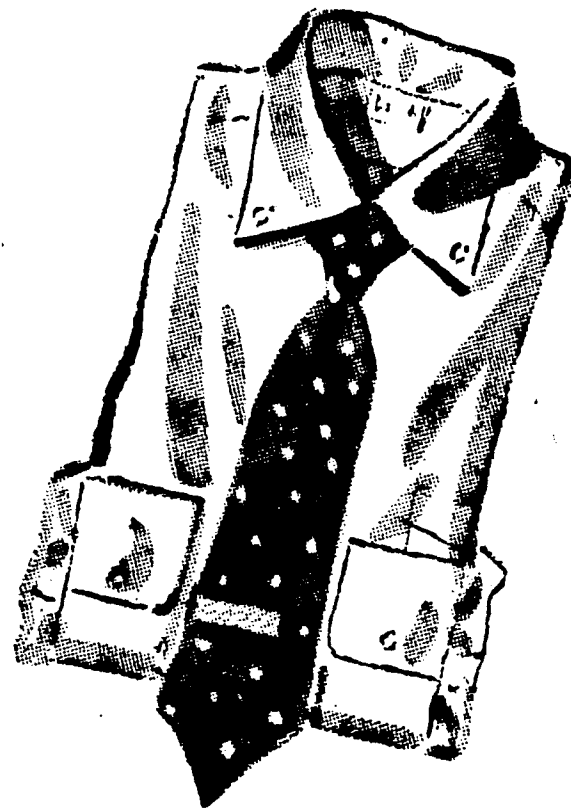
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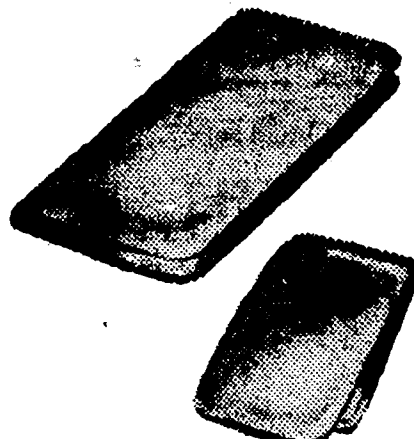
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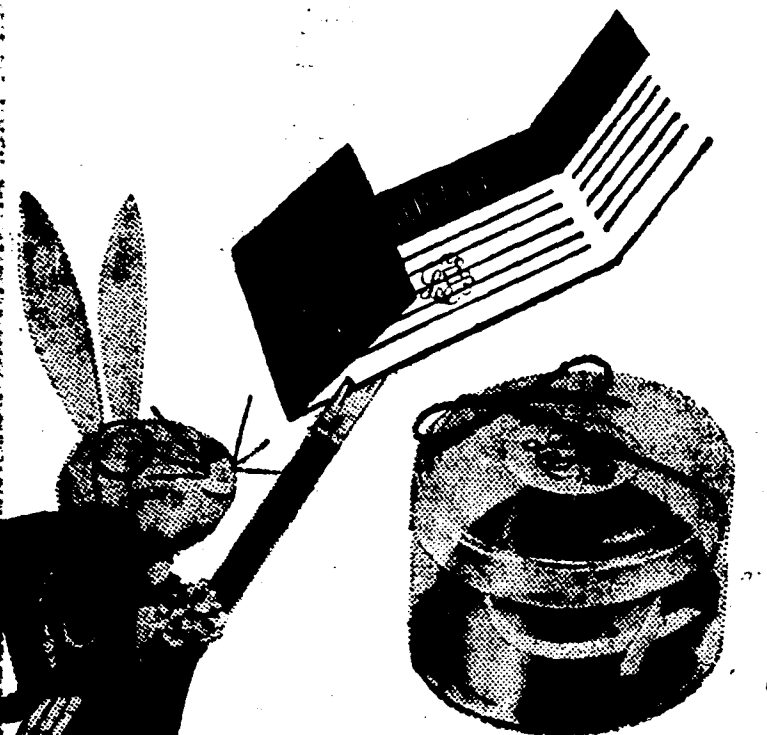
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Glasgow Home Bureau Unit Has Luncheon Meeting

Glasgow—The Glasgow unit of the Morgan-Scott Home Bureau met Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. H. Edwards. A potluck luncheon was held at noon and a gift exchange was conducted.

The major lesson was "Efficient Use of the Sewing Machine," presented by Mrs. John L. Sherrin. The minor lesson was "Music Appreciation Series and Christmas Carols" and was given by Mrs. J. H. Edwards. A song quiz was born by Mrs. Clarence Adams and the toy imitation was won by Mrs. W. E. Overton.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. E. Overton on Jan. 20. The major lesson will be "Weight Control" and the minor lesson will be on "Program Planning." Mr. and Mrs. Estelle Cowper of Glasgow and Gus Pfenniger and sister Mrs. Lena Meaux of Milton were called to Alsey Wednesday by the critical illness and death of their aunt, Mrs. Laura Pfenniger. Funeral services were conducted at the Alsey Baptist church Saturday at 2 p.m., with burial in the Winchester cemetery.

Woman's Society At New Berlin Has Xmas Party

New Berlin—The Woman's society of the First Baptist church held a Christmas party Thursday evening in the rumpus room of the Harold Wade home.

The room was decorated in accordance with the Christmas season, featuring a lighted tree, under which gifts for the Huddleston Baptist home at Centralia were placed.

Mrs. Pauline Witham had charge of the program. She presented Miss May Witham who gave a reading entitled "Juana's Giving." Miss Helen Abbot of Springfield read a story, "A Candle in the Forest." Games were played, with Mrs. Prentice

Witham, Mrs. Clarence McDevitt and Mrs. Jon Lynch in charge. Hostesses were Mrs. J. F. Short, Mrs. Dwight Douglas and Mrs. Bell. The WSCS held a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Grace Reiser. A potluck dinner was served, followed by a program and gift exchange.

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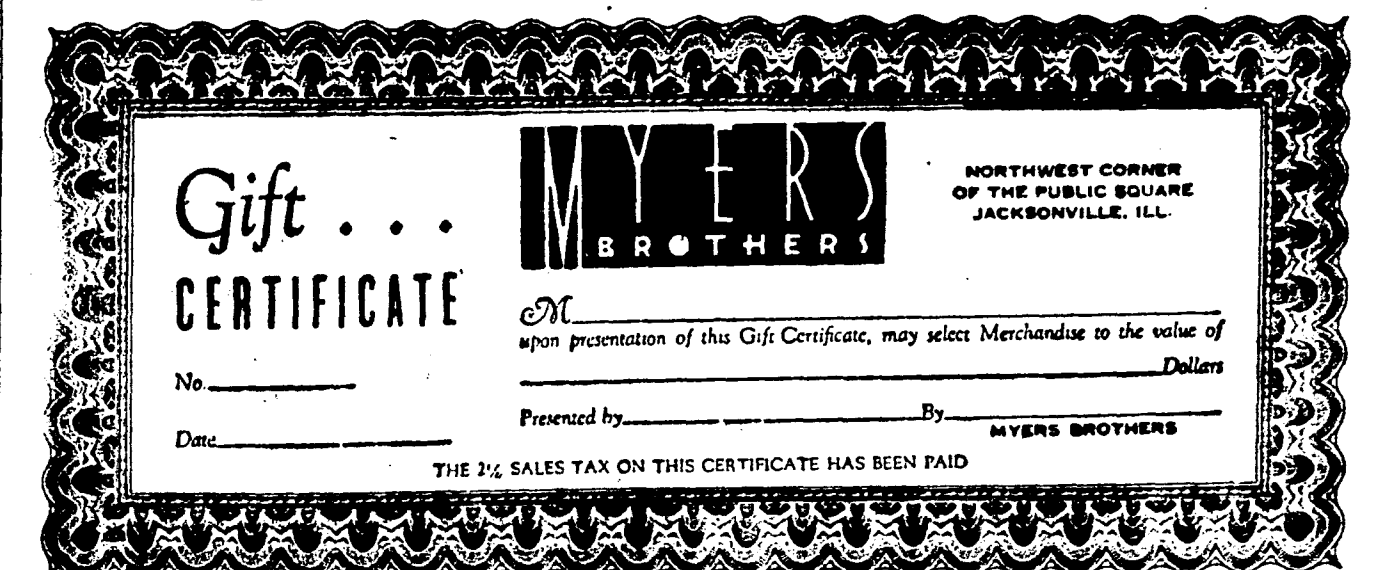
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Series Of Xmas Events Planned At Carrollton

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and Miss Kathleen Varble and Mrs. Mather Reif of the other group. The Christmas party of the Business and Professional Women's Club will be held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Hazel French. Mrs. Fred Ashock will have charge of the program which will have to do with the observing of Christmas in other lands.

The Christmas party of the Catholic Daughters of America will be held Tuesday evening in the Knights of Columbus hall. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Prill of Jersey-

ville, Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong and E. E. Steelman of this city went to Barrow Wednesday to attend the wedding of the latter's grandson, Harold Bushnell of Roodhouse to Miss Irah Mae Boston, also of Roodhouse. The ceremony was performed at seven p.m. in the Barrow church by the Rev. Mason Smith of Kane. Mrs. Mason Smith of Kane sang, "Because" and the Rev. and Mrs. Smith sang "I Love You Truly" accompanied by Miss Sharon Jones of Kane. Mrs. Bushnell is the son of Ralph Bushnell

Cross Country Junior Woman's Club Has Party

The Cross Country Junior Woman's Club held its Christmas party for members and their families at the home of Mrs. Bernita Rolf on Wednesday evening, December 15.

The home was beautifully decorated in keeping with Christmas, and a pot-luck supper was enjoyed.

A short business meeting was held, and a program committee appointed, as follows: Mrs. Norman Charlesworth, chairman, Mrs. Bernita Rolf, and Mrs. Hazel Stice. The flowers and card committee appointed was Mrs. Ruth Burmeister and Mrs. Ruth Master.

The meeting was adjourned and a gift exchange was enjoyed. The remainder of the evening was spent playing bingo and cards.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Carline McGinnis on January 19.

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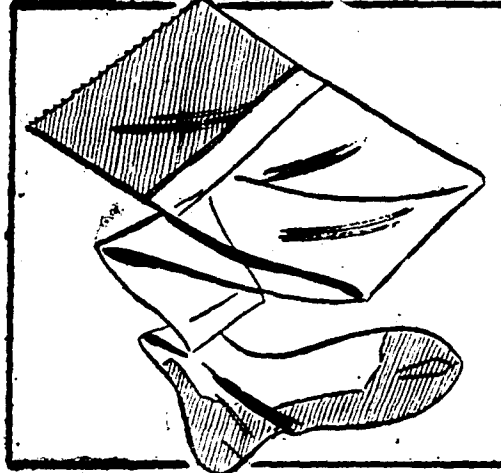
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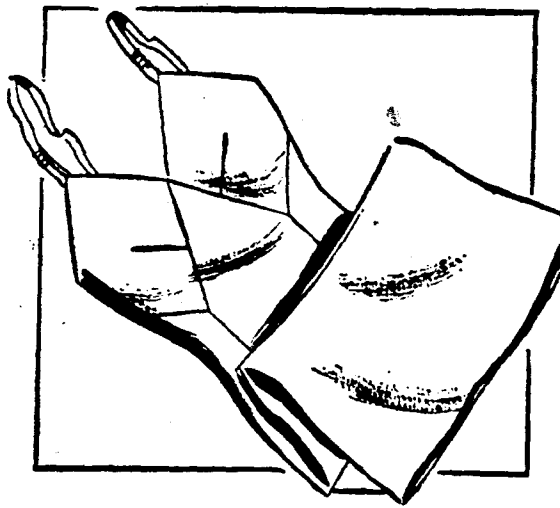


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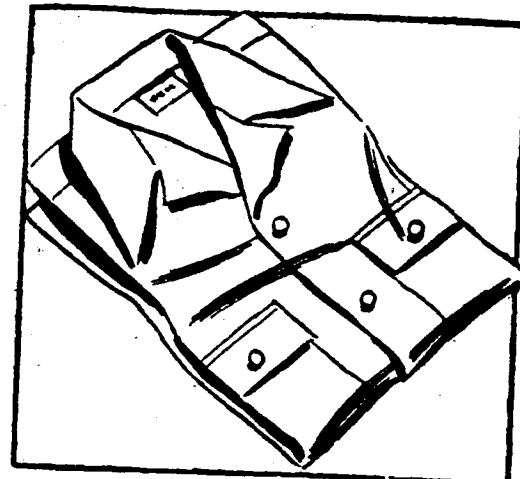
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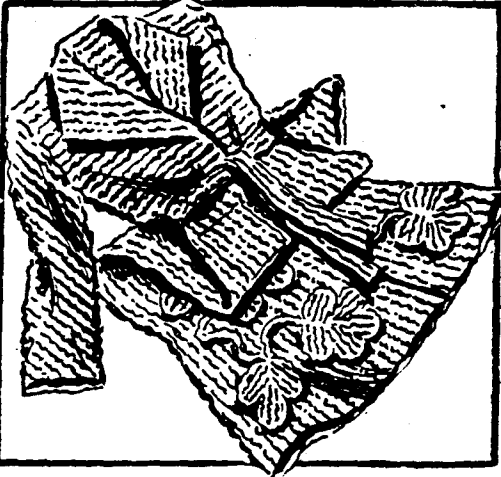
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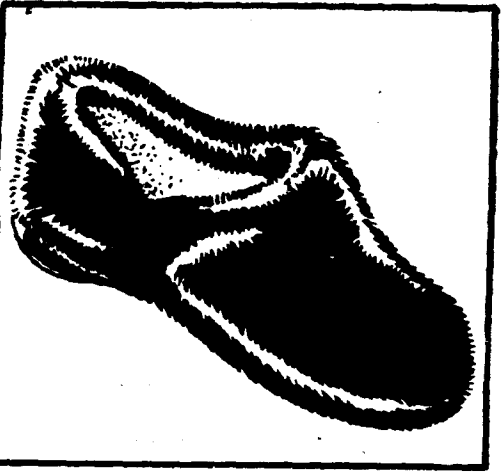
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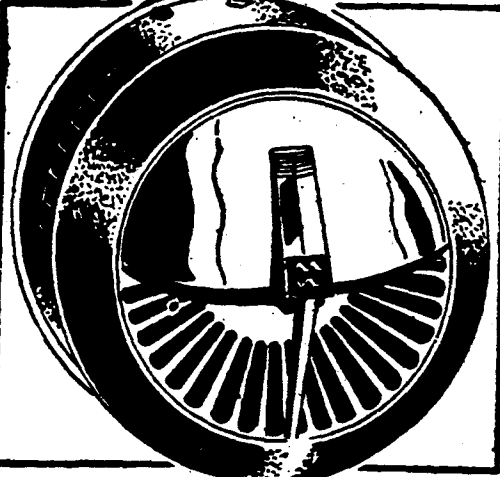
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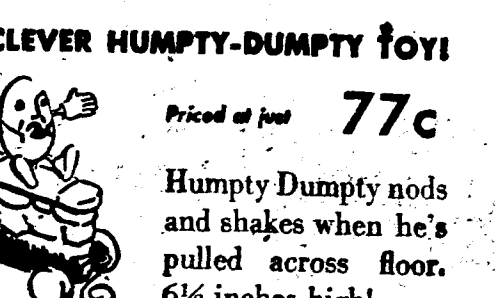
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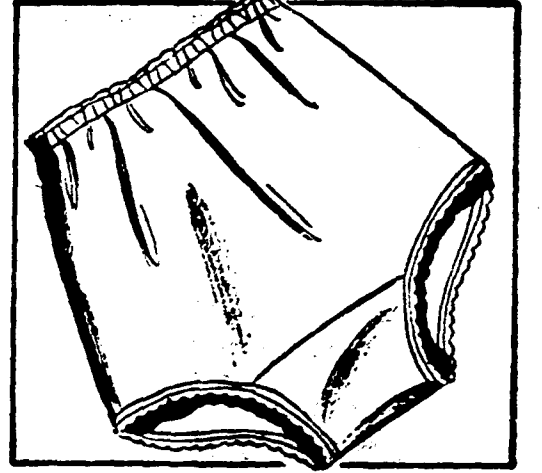
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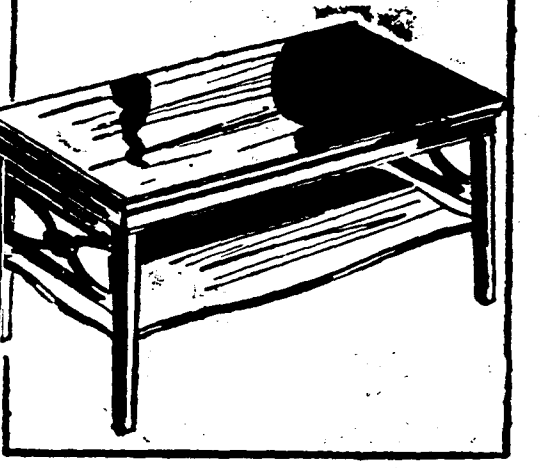
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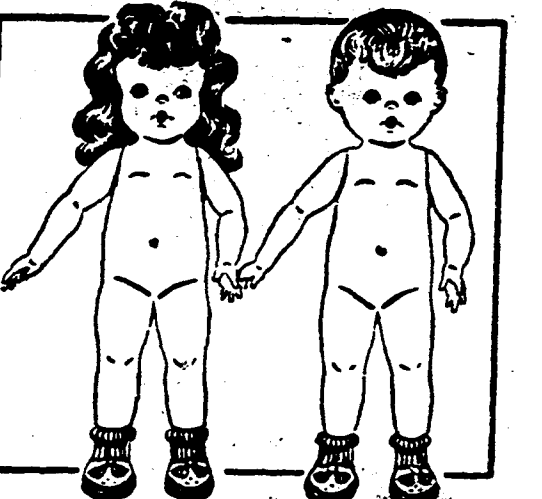
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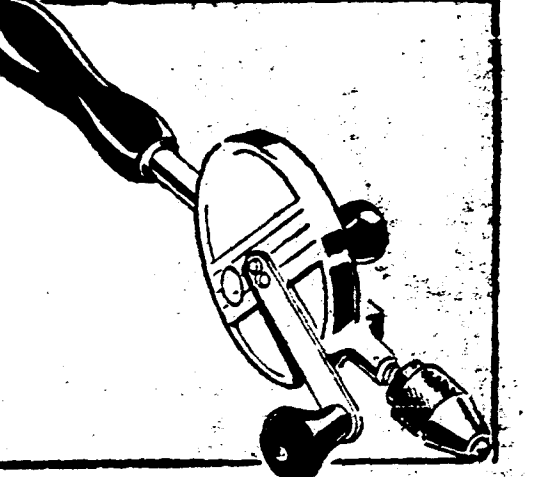
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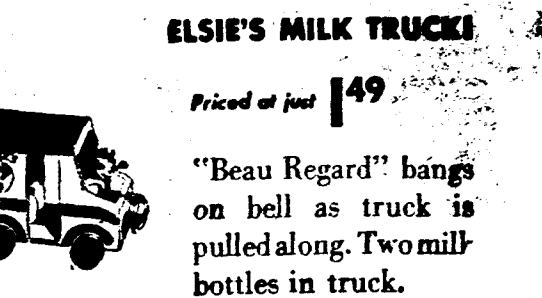
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Dr. Hill Shine of the MacMurray College English department will attend the sixty-third annual meeting of the Modern Language Association

of America, to be held in New York Dec. 28, 29 and 30 at the Hotel Pennsylvania. Dr. Shine is secretary of Victorian Literature in the English section. The Association was founded in 1883 to advance the study of modern languages and their literature. Longfellow was a member during the early years of its existence, and James Russell Lowell was one of its first presidents. Its primary objective since 1929 has been to advance

research. The present 6,000 members are largely college and university teachers of English and modern foreign languages. At least 3,000 members are expected to attend the 1948 meeting. Papers will be presented, cooperative research projects fostered, and common problems discussed in sixty different groups and sections.

Miss Helen Sowers Weds W. T. Casey

Miss Helen Sowers and William T. Casey, both of Jacksonville, were united in marriage Saturday at 9:30 a. m. in a ceremony performed by the Rev. Father Raymond Franzen in the rectory of the Church of Our Saviour. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. William E. Sowers. Upon returning from a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Casey will reside on a farm north of Woodson.

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CRIT HANELINE
Crit Haneline of the Purity Cleaners Company of this city was elected Vice-President of the Illinois Association for the Crippled at the annual meeting of its membership held in Chicago.

Mr. Haneline is active in the program of the Morgan County Association for the Crippled, which is the local chapter of the Illinois Association for the Crippled. Funds to support the program of service to crippled children maintained by the Morgan County Association are obtained through the sale of Easter Seals. The mailing campaign for the 1949 Easter Seal Sale conducted throughout the state will begin March 17.

Junior Red Cross Prepares 85 Gift Boxes For Europe

Mrs. John T. Taylor, chairman of the local chapter's Junior Red Cross committee, reports the shipment of 85 Junior Red Cross gift boxes filled with school supplies, toilet articles and toys from the Morgan County Red Cross chapter to the overseas warehouse of the American National Red Cross at Washington, D. C. These boxes, which cost from \$1 to \$2.50 each, were filled by Junior Red Cross members in the following schools: Morton school, Ada Barton, teacher; Union Grove, Harriet Moss, teacher; Cross Roads, Emma Hemmings, teacher; Lynnville grade school, Lucille Jones, teacher; West Liberty, Rosalie Campbell, teacher; North Oakland, Mary Buchanan, teacher; Lynnville grade school, Charlene Strubbe, superintendent; Alexander grade school, Thelma Daly, principal; Elkhorn, Mary E. Sheehan, teacher; Waverly grade school, Forrest Moore, principal; David Prince Junior High school, Miss Betty Cobb, faculty adviser; Washington school, Elizabeth Brown, principal; Jefferson school, Clara Cobb, principal; Lafayette school, Lena Heim, principal; Franklin school, Grace Fitch, principal.

Two additional schools have enrolled in the Junior Red Cross according to an announcement by Mrs. Taylor. These schools are the Salem Lutheran school and the high school at the Illinois School for the Blind. A total of 31 elementary schools and three high schools outside the City of Jacksonville have joined the Junior Red Cross this year. In the city a total of nine grade schools and two high schools have enrolled in this year's Junior Red Cross program.

DeMolays And Rainbow Girls To Hold Party

Members of Louis Henry Clampl chapter, Order of DeMolay, and Assembly No. 19, Order of Rainbow for Girls, will hold their joint Christmas party in the Masonic Temple Monday evening, Dec. 20 at 7 p. m. Mothers of DeMolay and Rainbow will be honored guests.

A program under the direction of Worthy Advisor Pat Fulton will be presented, and will include musical numbers by the DeMolay-Rainbow quartet, composed of Pat Fulton, Sylvia Plouer, Hal Olson, and Harold Toussaint, Jr., with Betty Lu Walker at the piano, and various readings and piano and vocal solos. Dancing will complete the evening, with refreshments being served by the Rainbow Girls. DeMolays and Rainbows will exchange presents, with each person bringing a present for another member of his or her lodge. These gifts should not be over 50c in value and suitable for grab bag purposes. Santa Claus also will visit the party with special gifts. Members of both Advisory Councils will be guests for the evening. A large attendance is anticipated.

Lafayette School To Give Program Monday Evening

The pupils of Lafayette school will present a Christmas program at the school Monday, Dec. 20, at 7:15 p. m. The public is invited to attend.

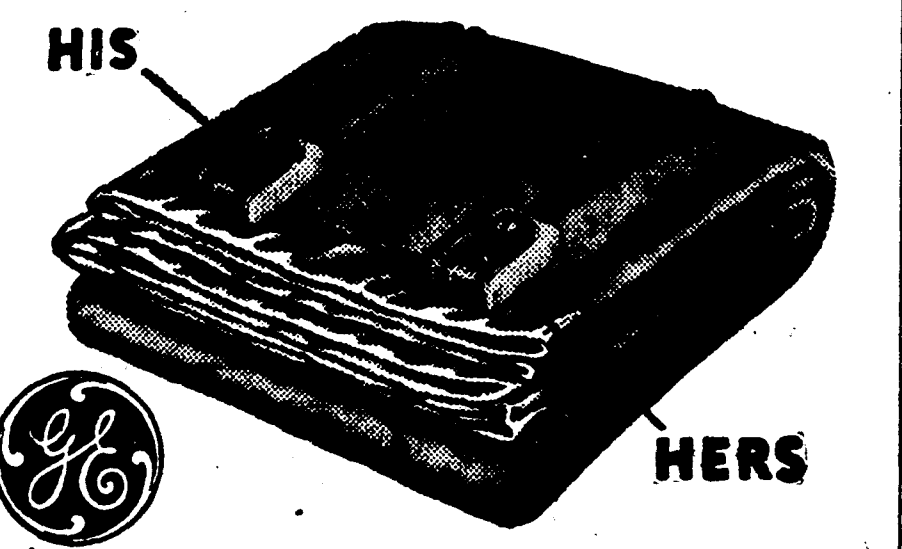
The program has been prepared by the teachers, under the direction of Miss Mildred Eubank, music coordinator. Music in Miss Couch's second grade, Mrs. Denney's fourth and Mrs. Bowman's sixth grade is taught by Miss Neils of MacMurray college, a student teacher. Those in charge of arrangements for the event are Miss Eubank, who will serve as accompanist; Mrs. Patterson, director; Mr. Schuette, director of instrumental music. Miss Wuebbold, Mrs. Read and Mrs. Denney; costumes; Eldon Lebkuecher, curtain; and Gene Dillow, properties.

The program, divided into two parts, will be as follows: Part I—Trumpet solos, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear." David Ratachak, medley of Christmas selections by an instrumental group composed of Fred Cody, John Cody, Rhoda Baker, Cecily Carson and David Ratachak; songs by the first and second grades, "Away in a Manger," "There's a Jolly Little Man," "Song of Baby Jesus," "Candles" and "Bells," songs by the second and third grades, "Up On the House Top," "O, Come Little Children," "Jolly Old Saint Nicholas" and "We Wish You a Merry Christmas."

Part II—"The Gift of Christmas," a Christmas operetta by grades four, five and six; "While Bells Are Chiming," grades four; "Wise Men From Afar," grade five, with Becky Crouse as soloist; "Out On the Hills," grades five and six, Gerry Smith, soloist; "Mother Mary is Softly Singing," grade six, Maryann Rickert, soloist; "A Wish for Christmas Day," grades five and six, with a trio composed of Becky Crouse, Gerry Smith and Maryann Rickert. Fred Cody, Bobby Jacobs, Donald Powell, Larry Fernandes, Larry Knight, Bobby Brockhouse, J. Weir Lynn, Bradley Blodgett and Reggie Huddleston; finale, "A Living Christmas Tree," girls of the fourth grade; songs, "Gather Round the Christmas Tree" and "Silent Night," grades four and five.

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Plans for this event were made at a recent auxiliary meeting. President Louisa Robinson presided and reminded members that dues must be paid by Dec. 26. It was reported by Louisa Bundy, chairman of the rehabilitation committee, that \$14 had been collected for the cigarettes for veterans fund. Bernice Williams was accepted as a new member.

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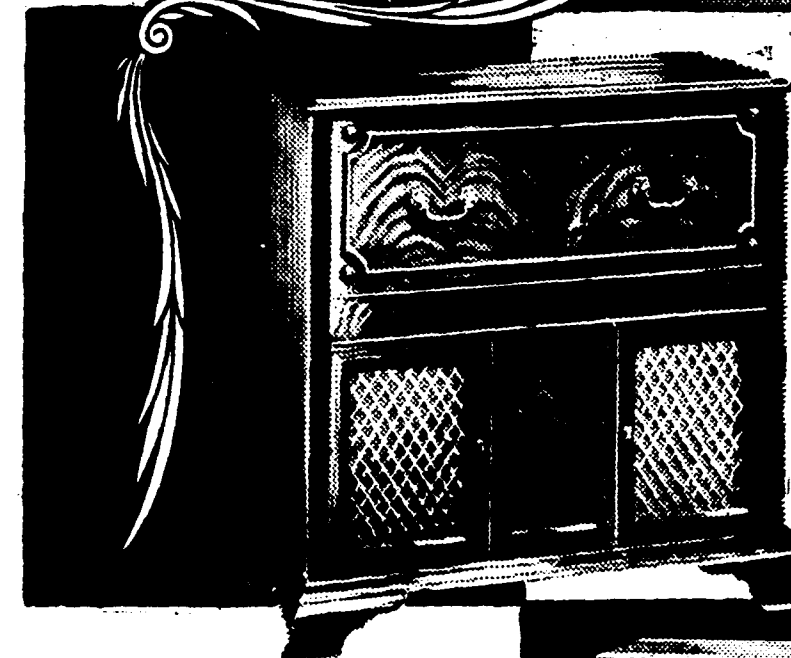
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Christmas Play Given At Meeting Of Arenzville Club
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In the absence of the president, Melmos Hierman, the meeting was presided over by Mrs. Brooks Brockhouse. A report on the minstrel show, to be given Dec. 28, was presented by Mrs. H. C. Johnson. It was suggested that the civic improvement committee arrange for the lighting of the Christmas tree in the park.
Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Joe Hobrock, Mrs. Jack Escorcia and Mrs. William Jones. One new member, Mrs. M. G. West, was present.
The Rev. E. A. Slottag presented the topic at the Brotherhood meeting held in the parish hall, with Herman Lovekamp and H. L. Meyer as hosts.

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F.H.A. At Ashland Lists Candidates For Snow Queen
Ashland.—Evelyn Farmer, Mae Nell White, Jean Kreis, Marge Farmer and Joan Lewis were selected as candidates for Snow Queen at an F.H.A. meeting held at the high school. One of these girls will be crowned Snow Queen of 1948 during the seventh annual Snow Frolic, Dec. 20. The five girls were chosen as candidates from a list of ten junior and senior nominees.
The Snow Frolic dates back to 1941 when Mary Virginia Klein was crowned queen. In 1942, the student body selected Mary Cosner and Frances McGraw was chosen in 1943. Ruth Yancy was named in 1944; Mary Lou Petefish in 1945, and Rita Leahy in 1946. Nancy Stribling, queen of 1947, will officiate in the coronation ceremonies.
The escorts have been chosen: Evelyn Farmer, Dick Hager; Joan Lewis, Jim Devlin; Marge Farmer, John Roth; Jean Kreis, Ken Reside; Mae Nell White, Lester Roy.
Committees appointed for the party are: program—Carol Edwards; Ruth Orne, Juanita Walton; decoration—Louise Woods, Evelyn Farmer, Wanda Maddox, Jean Kreis, Marge Farmer, Waunita Coop; refreshments—Ruth Anne Butler, Anne Savage and Marge Stewart.
The public is invited to attend. The party will start at 7:30 p. m.

Lynnville P. T. A. Sponsors Program Tuesday Evening
The Lynnville P. T. A. will meet at the school on Tuesday, December 21, at 7:30 p. m. There will be a community tree. The school will present a Christmas program.
The community is invited to attend. Each family is asked to take a pound of candy.
CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT CARROLLTON WEDNESDAY
Carrollton.—The pupils of the St. John's grade school will present their annual Christmas program in the Public Library auditorium Wednesday, Dec. 22, at 1:30 p. m. The program will feature plays and songs.

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Scott Housing Committee Has \$16,000 On Hand

Bluffs—The Bluffs Civic club met Monday evening and enjoyed a baked chicken supper prepared by the Junior Woman's club. During the business session the president, Harvey Vortman, appointed a Boy Scout committee consisting of Charles Wolford, Donald Sloan, M. J. Baylos, Luther Vortman and Rev. Kenneth Douglas.

The state and park Christmas decorating committee, including Paul Vannier, William Kilver, Earl Lovelamp, H. H. Kilver, and F. J. Muntman, were instructed to arrange the repainting of the Nativity Scene and the placement of a lighted Christmas tree in Lewis Park. F. J. Muntman and H. H. Kilver, members of the Scott County Housing committee, reported a balance of approximately \$16,000 in the Bank of Bluffs of the construction of five-roomed brick houses on two lots secured for that purpose. These lots are located in the north and west parts of Bluffs.

The next Civic Club meeting will be held December 27 and a tour of the C.I.P.S. generating plant at Meredosia is planned with the club meeting at the club rooms in Bluffs at 7:30.

Home Lighting Contest

The Bluffs Household Science Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ben Placke with Mesdames J. O. Chambers, Etta Brockhouse and O. A. Woodson as as-

sistant hostesses. The club is sponsoring a contest in home Christmas lighting and decorating. Prizes are being offered and the judges are to be Harvey Vortman, president of the Civic Club, and Mrs. Edward Albers, president of the Household Science Club. Business houses are to be excluded in the contests. Contributions were made to various club projects.

The program consisted of talks by J. A. Knoppel and Mrs. Paul Vannier. Mrs. Knoppel spoke on "Gifts to the World" in which she brought out that Christ is the greatest gift of all. Mrs. Vannier spoke on World Citizenship in which she discussed the setup of the United Nations its aims, and purposes. A gift exchange was enjoyed by all present, this was conducted by Mrs. Charles Krusa and Mrs. Merle Dunham. The Placke home was beautifully decorated in keeping with the season. At the close of the afternoon delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. Mrs. Dora Graham was a guest.

Ralph Beck To Succeed Shade As Supervisor

Carrollton—D. O. Shade, who has been a member of the Greene County Board of Supervisors from Roodhouse township for the past eight years, resigned his position this week at a meeting of the Board held Tuesday and Wednesday.

Shade who resigned because of his recent election to the office of State Representative, was succeeded by Ralph Beck, who was seated in office Wednesday. Beck succeeded Shade on the pauper committee of which Meade Williams was made chairman and Delbert O'Connell succeeded Shade as a member of the advisory council.

In addition to the regular business of the Board, it was voted to continue paying a bounty on foxes and wolves for another year.

Draw Grand Jurors

The December Grand Jurors, both regular and supplemental were drawn by the Board and they are as follows: Athensville township—Edith Smith and Opal Hutton; regulars and Ben Florence, supplemental; Bluffdale—John A. Byland, R. Irl Davidson and Frank Hoots, S.; Carrollton—Al Williamson, R. Mrs. Bernice Chinoweth, R. Ella Mayberry S. and Paul Mahoney, S.; Kane—William Woolsey, R. Lester Carter R. and Berry Gano, S.; Linder—Janis Gallup, R. John Koster, S. and Ance Sonneborn S.; Patterson—Hulbert Brown R. Beatrice Taylor, R. and Roy Stauffer, S.; Rockbridge—Frederick C. Joutet, R. Amol M. Greer R. M. T. Armstrong, S. and W. H. Rafferty S.; Roodhouse—Annabell Battershell, R. George Richardson, R. Margaret Admire, S. and Bonnie Little S.; Rubicon—Harold Ford R. Guy Cooper, R. and John Melvin S.; Walkerville—Charles Clayton, R. Henry Yount, S. and Orvis McCollom S.; White Hall—Frank Batty R. Ed. Roodhouse, R. Trnold Ross, S. and Curtis Gilmore, S.; Woodville—Milton Platt, R. William Ivers, R. and Hazel Short, S. and Wright—Leo Koehn, R. Donald Smith, R. and Leota Lorton, S.

Home Bureau Unit At Ashland Has Meeting Friday

Ashland—The Ashland Home Bureau unit met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B. Carls, with five members and one guest present. Roll call was answered by giving a Bible quotation. The major lesson on "Purchasing Household Linens" was given by Mrs. Alice Reiser. The minor lesson on "Nursing Care In The Home" was given by Mrs. Homer Leonbrook. An exchange of gifts was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Effie Hewitt has returned to her home from the Memorial hospital in Springfield, where she underwent a surgical operation two weeks ago.

The Martha class of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Della Duling for their annual Christmas party. An exchange of gifts was enjoyed. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. S. A. Jones and Mrs. Susie Long.

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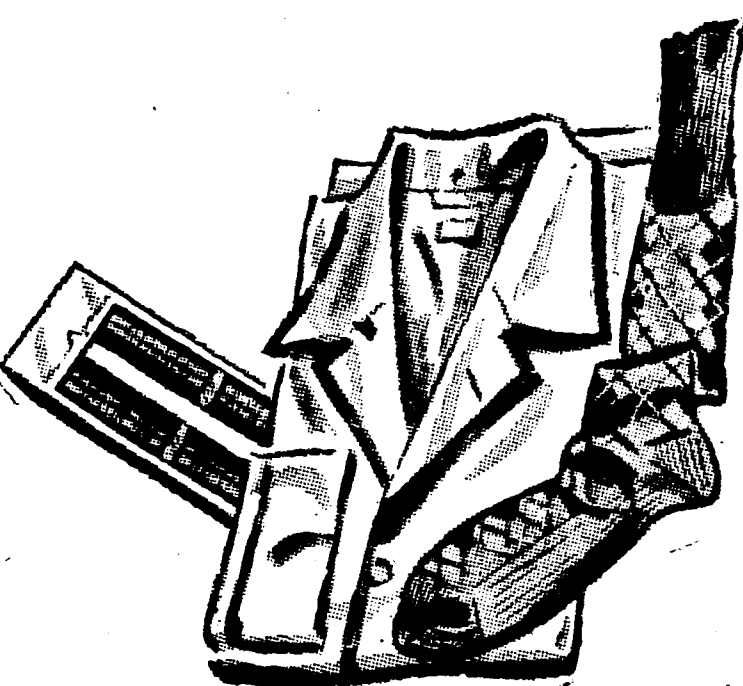
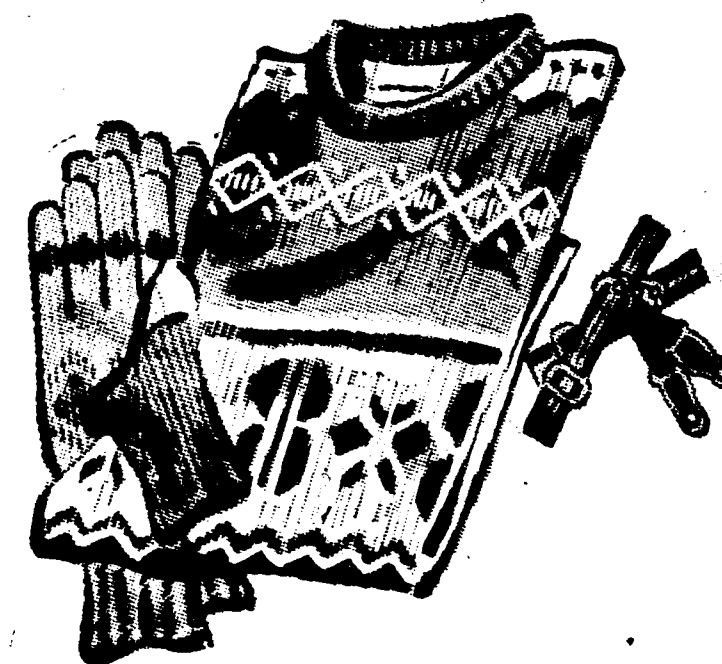
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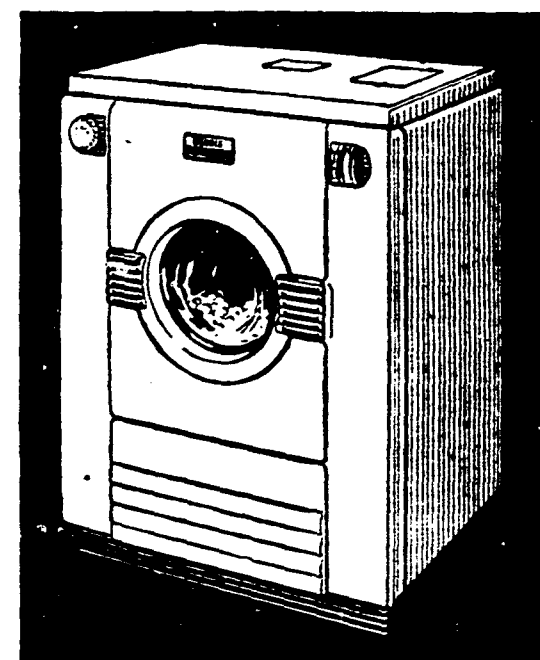
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Roodhouse Ladies Get Visit, Treat From Santa Claus

Roodhouse—Santa Claus paid a surprise visit to the home of Mrs. Urban Andrews Wednesday afternoon and presented a candy treat to the 27 members of the Baptist Ladies Aid gathered there.

The group enjoyed a potluck dinner and gift exchange, which was followed by a "television program," conducted by Mrs. C. A. Spencer. Sue Ann Helton of the high school glee club sang "Birth-day of the King."

Mrs. Andrews was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Ethelyn Cuddy, her sister, Mrs. William Keller, and Mrs. Virgie McIver, Mrs. Katherine Gilmore and Mrs. Elmer Houseman.

Timothy McIver, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson McIver, suffered a broken collar bone Wednesday evening when he was struck by a car driven by an Alsey man.

The boy, who was being chased by a playmate, ran in front of the passing auto at about 6:30 p.m. near Wood's confectionery. He was removed to the office of Dr. N. J. Bucklin for treatment. On Thursday he was taken to Jacksonville for x-rays.

Rotary Speaker
Dr. William O'Reilly of Winchester was guest speaker Wednesday evening at a meeting of the Roodhouse Rotary club. He was introduced by Glenn Funk, program chairman.

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THE STORY: Life seems bright and beautiful to sixteen-year-old Merry Carson, whose big moment is Tip Kennedy, captain of the high school football team. And when Tip, driving her home in his Struggle-Buggy, says there's something he wants to talk to her about, Merry's heart begins to do flip-flops in her throat.



"Well, Merry," Susan flashed, her voice thin and shrill. "You're just in time to hear the news. Your father has decided that he's bored with us, you and me, and wants a divorce!"

TIP seemed to have difficulty with his words, and the Struggle-Buggy was parked in front of the Carson home before he finally said awkwardly, "I know that we're pretty young, Merry, and I don't want to go all soft and gooey. But I'm going to be through with high school this spring, and I've decided I'm not going to college. Seems a waste of time, when I'm going into the garage with Pops, and I've got enough 'book-larin' for that. Pops needs me, and I figure I can learn as much by working with him as I could by taking a four-year loaf in college."

"Oh, Tip, I do think that's smart of you," breathed Merry, just exactly as she would have said it if he had said, "I'm planning to dive off the bridge into the river tomorrow at 3." Because to Merry whatever Tip did would be smart! Because Tip did it.

"I'm glad you think so, Merry," said Tip gratefully. "And—well, I know you've got another year at high, and I thought by the time you finished, if you didn't plan to go to college."

"Oh, I don't, Tip—I wouldn't think of it!"

"Well, then, how would it be if you and I sort of set our sights together? That is, when you get through high, we could be formally engaged and everything?"

Merry's eyes were shining and her young face was all aglow.

"I think that would be simply fantastic, Tip!" she told him shakily.

Tip's lean, boyish face beneath the straw-colored tangle of slightly curly, thickly crisp hair was radiant, and his blue eyes were warm and tender.

"You do, Merry? Gee, that's great. You've always been my girl, Merry—I think you're swell," he said huskily, and took off his class ring and offered it hesitantly. "Will you wear this, Merry, until we can persuade your folks and mine that it'll be all right for me to give you one with a diamond in it?"

MERRY held up her little paw, grubby from the day's activities at school. The nails were embarrassing to her, for no matter how she tried, she couldn't quite manage not to bite them in moments of stress. And Tip slipped the ring on her finger, where it hung loosely.

"You're sweet, Merry, I'm pretty crazy about you," he said huskily.

"I love you, too, Tip," she told him shyly.

Awkward, young, abashed, he bent his blond head and kissed her, and for a moment they sat looking at each other with shining eyes. And then, crazily, the most absurd shyness swept over her and she fumbled with the door and said hurriedly, "I'd better go. Dad's home. I see his car. They don't like me to be late for supper."

Your dad's frantic, Merry. One of the best. And your mother, too. Gee-gosh, isn't it great our parents are such close friends? You know something, Merry? You and I are going to be exactly like them; they've been married for 20-odd years and they are still in love and still devoted. I don't think I could take it if we had the kind of parents that are always shrieking at each other and maybe getting divorced."

Merry shivered. For in Marshallville, an old-fashioned, rather

sedate town, divorce was still a word one did not quite accept.

"Wouldn't it be awful?" she agreed, and smiled at him radiantly. "Well, we don't have to ever worry about divorce in our families, Tip—there's never been one in our family as far back as I have read or heard. Nor in yours, either."

Tip smiled tenderly at her. "And we'll see to it that we keep the record clean, won't we?"

"Oh, yes, Tip!"

He kissed her, came around the car to help her climb over the door, carried her heavy pile of school books up to the front door of the big, mellow old-fashioned white frame house, and there in the autumn dusk, he said softly, "Be seen' you, dream boat."

"Be seen' you," she answered lightly, and was gone.

MERRY stood just inside the big front door until the protesting clamor of the Struggle-Buggy died away, and then she heaved a long, happy sigh, and came out of her happy dream to listen with incredulous ears to the sound of a furious word battle going on in the living room.

Dazed, she moved to the door of the living room and stood there, staring and wide-eyed.

It was a big, handsome, well-decorated room. The furnishings were old and well loved and polished to a satin smoothness. The draperies of chintz were harmonized with the slip covers and with flower prints framed in bamboo against the soft green walls. It was a charming, restful room that Merry had always taken more or less for granted. It was part of home and that was that.

But now she was sharply conscious of the room as the background of the two people who stood facing each other. Susan, her mother, was not quite so tall as Merry, pleasantly plump, and had neat brown hair with unashamed streaks of gray here and there. She was wearing a neat, crisp, dark blue housegown. Susan's face, that was ordinarily touched by only the lightest of make-up, was an ugly brick red and her eyes were blazing. Her mouth was drawn thin, and out of it came little gasping cries of fury and shocked disbelief.

Dad was—Dad, tall, distinguished, good-looking. Crisply tailored, the picture of an up-to-date, progressive, mentally and physically alert man. But now his face was tired and old-looking and there was a sick look in his eyes. And he was watching Susan as though he had never seen her before in his life, and saying nothing.

"Mother!" Merry's voice was shaken with terror. "Dad! What in the world—"

Susan whirled about, and to

Merry she looked like a stranger.

"Well, Merry," Susan flashed, her voice thin and shrill and shaking. "You're just in time to hear the news. Your father has decided that he's bored with us, you and me, and wants a divorce."

"A divorce?"

"Now that I've worked myself into a homely old woman for him, giving him the best years of my life, bringing up his child, taking care of his house, helping him to become a success in business, he's

found some cheap little flirt he wants to take up with."

"Susan!" Kinian Carson's voice cracked like a whip. "Control yourself! I will not allow you—"

Susan whirled on him like the spitting cat she seemed.

"You won't allow me? You won't allow me? Do you think for one moment you have any more power over me? I'll spread her name to the whole world. I'll see to it everybody knows just what a vile, wicked, filthy creature she is."

She stopped, a choked sound in her voice, as Kin caught her by the shoulders and shook her, not at all gently.

"You don't know anything about her," his voice came through clenched teeth.

"I know she's a no-good. Any woman is who plots and connives to steal a husband from his family."

"Nobody stole me. Don't talk like a fool, Susan!" Kin's voice grated furiously. "You and I haven't had a real marriage, not in years, and you know it. Our marriage fell apart ages ago. You are so busy with your house, your domestic problems, you haven't had time to give a thought to me, or to Merry either."

"That's a lie! I've never had a thought for anything but you and Merry."

"You let your mind stop growing when you settled down to having the most immaculate house in town. You stopped being a companion to either Merry or me."

"Oh, so that's going to be your plea, is it? The wife is to blame! She neglected you; she didn't understand you; and so this cheap little wanton—"

Kin's hand raised swiftly and struck her. Not hard. A mere light stinging slap across the cheek. But to Merry, dazed and uncomprehending and shocked to her very toes, the blow resounded like the crack of doom.

(To Be Continued)

Mildred McEvers Named Oracle Of Patterson Camp

Patterson — Patterson Camp No. 5141, Royal Neighbors of America held its regular meeting Thursday evening with 22 members attending.

During the business meeting, the annual election of officers was held. Those elected were: Oracle, Mildred McEvers; vice oracle, Laura Dawdy; past oracle, Lizzie Coker; recorder, Nona Owdom; receiver, Maude Johnson, chaceoller, Bea Taylor; marshal, Hulberta Ringering; inner sentinel, Helen Bain; outer sentinel, Charlie Dawdy; manager, Grace Brown; physician, Dr. Robert W. Piper.

These officers, together with the appointed officers, will be installed at the regular meeting in January.

The hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. Nona Owdom and Mrs. Hulberta Ringering. Chicken salad sandwiches, cookies and coffee were served at a table decorated in keeping with the Xmas season, after which several games were enjoyed.

The highlight of the evening was the opening of the Xmas gifts and the revealing of secret pals for the past year. New names were drawn for the coming year.

Mrs. Mildred McEvers, oracle for the past year, was presented with a gift, by her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Dawdy, in behalf of the camp.

Hostesses for the January meeting will be Mrs. Grace Brown and Mrs. Charlie Dawdy.

Jimmie Bowen of Jacksonville and his grandfather, Mr. W. C. Linder, left this week for Monroe, La., where they will spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tankersley.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McGlasson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ray of Alsey and Don Leach of Drake were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard McGlasson and daughter, Shirley, honoring the latter's fourth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. and Mrs. Tom Forrester left Thursday night for Peoria where they will visit until after Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Forrester and family and Mrs. Geraldine Carter and family.

Mrs. Earl McGlasson and son, Darrell, of Alsey visited Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Richard McGlasson.

Mrs. Lizzie Coker, Mrs. Naomi Coker and Mrs. Lora Fry were among relatives from here who attended funeral services Thursday for Mrs. Addie Coker in White Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Bell of White Hall were Thursday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McEvers and son, Stanley.

Today's Crossword Puzzle

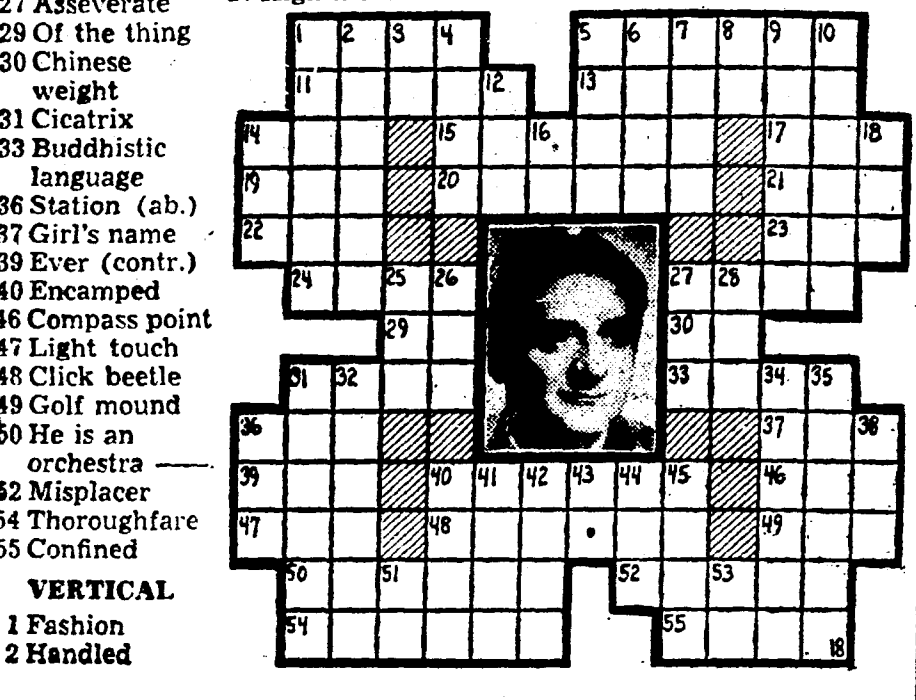
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18 African worm
25 Brazilian macaw
26 Through
27 High mount
28 By way of
31 Pillers
32 Floor cover
34 Harken
35 Inset
36 Group of matched pieces
38 Fear
40 Surrender
41 On the sheltered side
42 Market
43 Pint (ab.)
44 Lamprey
45 Let fall
51 Area measure
53 Symbol for selenium



Bluffs Teachers At Dinner Party In Winchester

Bluffs — Members of the Bluffs school faculties enjoyed a dinner party at Brook's in Winchester. The table was beautifully decorated in keeping with the season. After dinner a gift exchange took place and carols were sung.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Ode Thomas Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Delhaus, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Coughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Goodin, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Krems, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bridgman, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Fullmer, Mr. and Mrs.

Donald Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Krog, Mesdames Margaret Hatfield and Laura Edie and the Misses Verna Brockhouse, Norma Adams, Faye Kern, Muriel Kopp and Dorothy Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Coughlin are parents of a daughter, Patricia Ann, born Dec. 12. Mrs. Coughlin is the former Miss Marjorie Zulant of the Arenville community. Mr. Coughlin is the agriculture instructor in the Bluffs schools.

Mrs. Jessie Arnold has received word of the birth of a daughter, Georgie Kay, born Dec. 11 to Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold at Memorial hospital in Alton.

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Santa Claus To Visit Party At Business College

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The party will start at 6:30 p.m. with a dinner which is being prepared by the food committee including Lucille Milton, Martha Curtis, Wilma Tieman, Helen Weber, Jean Wilding, Don Milton, Betty Pierce and Lynn Northrop.

After the dinner a program will be given by the following students: Dick Cruzan, John Martin, Tena Rust, Don Brohan, Clarence Crouse, Bob Brohan and Irene Henry.

Santa Claus will also have an important part on the program as well as distributing gifts.

Special invitations have been sent to alumni by the publicity committee which includes Shirley Dean, Paula Dean, Bill Jarrett, Charles Plahn, Marley Gibbs, Jim Ring, Albert Quigg, Wayne Lindsey and Charles Schackmann have put up elaborate decorations in preparation for the Christmas activities.

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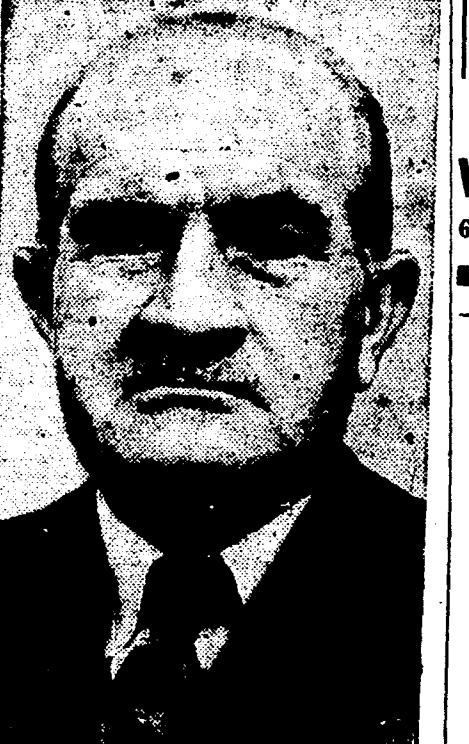
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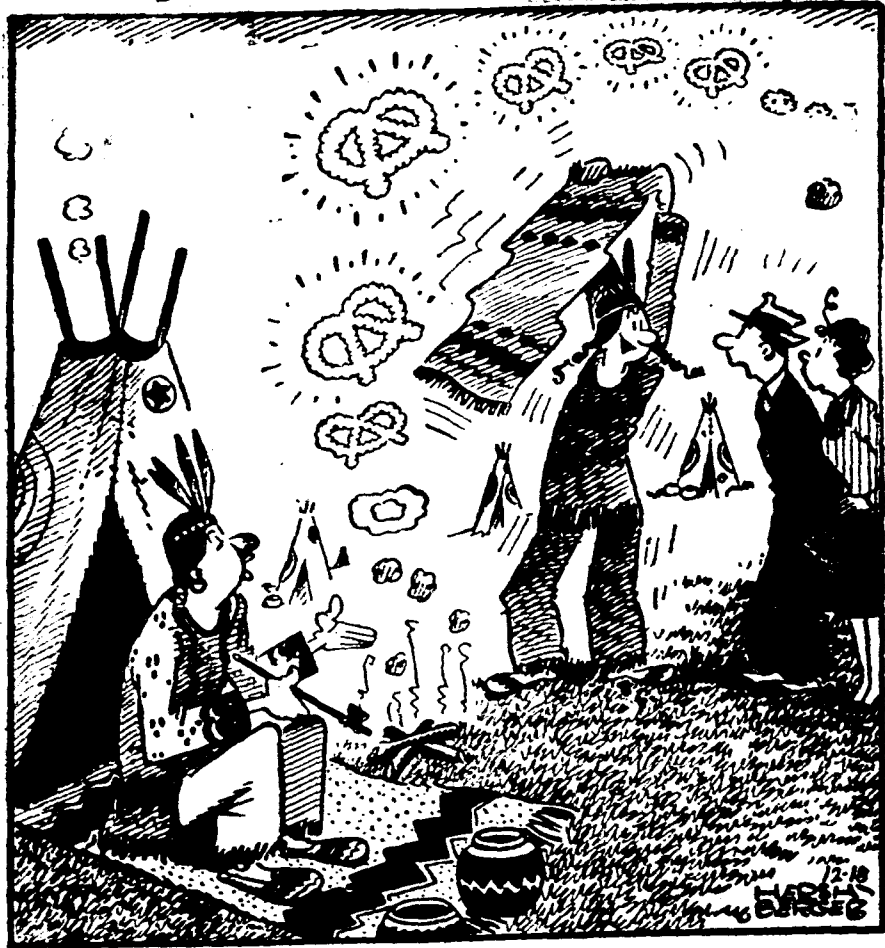
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White Hall High Student Council Plans Xmas Party

White Hall—The Christmas party for all high school students, sponsored by the student council, will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the high school gymnasium.

There will be group singing of Christmas carols. A one-act play, "Solitaire," directed by Mary Ann Campbell, will be presented. The cast includes Benny Seider, Kevin Hill, and Bill Cox. Several short comedies, sport extras, and a Christmas Sing will also be shown. There will be dancing.

To Hold Christmas Program

The local First Christian church will present its annual Christmas program Friday evening, December 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the church. The program will be presented under the supervision of Miss Dorothy Young, primary and intermediate superintendent, assisted by the following teachers of the Sunday school: Mary Ann Campbell, Virginia Johnston, Betty Dawdy, Mrs. John Early, Mrs. Russell Washburn and Mrs. Cleo Applegate.

The First Baptist church will present its Christmas program Thursday night at 7:30 at the church with the junior and primary departments of the Sunday School in charge. The Youth A Cappella choir, under the direction of Merle Bishop, will present several selections and the Harmony Trio, Carol Ann Davis, Jeanne Rex, and Virginia Bohn, will sing. Janice Boone will play a piano solo.

Officers Elected

The ladies of the Presbyterian church held their annual Christmas party and election of officers Thursday night in the church parlors. The following officers were elected: President, Anna Frances Roodhouse; vice president, Florence Hubbard; secretary, Eloise Griswold; treasurer, Virginia Lee Guis; work committee in charge of activities for the year, Lucille Lorton, Helen Arnold, Leila Campbell and Edith Chapin.

Following a gift exchange the class presented gifts to Mrs. H. E. Bell, teacher, and Miss Edith Hyatt and Mrs. Harvey Kowitz, who will soon move to Milwaukee. Mrs. Bell presented gifts to the four members who have not been absent during the entire year: Anna Frances Roodhouse, Eloise Griswold, Helen Worcester and Myrtle Winn.

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Dr. William L. ("Buck") Pressly, of Due West, S. C., was named the American Medical Association's "Family Doctor of the Year" at the AMA's meeting in St. Louis, Mo. A former baseball player who dropped his sports career to become a horse-and-buggy doctor, he has practiced 30 years during which he estimates he delivered 4200 babies, many of them with only the light from a kerosene lamp.

Harry Anderson Named Principal Of Cook School

Chapin—Harry D. Anderson, former Chapin resident and principal of the Ottawa high school for the past 16 years, will become principal of the Maine Township of Des Plaines on Feb. 1.

Situated in Chicago's west suburban area, the school has an enrollment of 1,750 students and a faculty of 75 teachers, as contrasted with Ottawa's 769 students and 40 teachers.

Mr. Anderson, son of the late Oliver and Etta Drake Anderson, graduated from the Chapin high school in the class of 1910. He holds a bachelor of education degree from Western Illinois State Teachers' college at Macomb, and a bachelor of law and a master of arts degree from the University of Illinois.

Married and the father of four sons, Mr. Anderson is a member of several honorary and professional fraternities, including Phi Delta Kappa, Phi Delta Phi and Kappa Delta Pi.

Rev. G. Presley Addresses Club At Manchester

Manchester — The Rev. G. E. Presley was guest speaker at the Manchester Community club meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. William Andras, who was assisted by Mrs. Rolly Cooper. His subject was "Women in the Bible."

Special music was furnished by the Rev. and Mrs. Presley. Delicious refreshments were served to 14 members.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 28 at the home of Mrs. Earl Clark.

Earl Clark was guest of honor Wednesday night at a birthday dinner given at his home by his wife

and family. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strang and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Meier, and Euel Ford and children, Ruth Jean and Jimmie, all of Roodhouse. Miss Lena Hayes spent Friday shopping in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Goacher and daughter moved this week to the Gillham farm southwest of Manchester. The vacated farm is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Keith

Collins, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Duncan of White Hall.

Dale Motley of Lewistown, Penn. is visiting his sister-in-law and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Motley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey McPherson were the recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McPherson.

Mrs. Earl Clark and children were recent guests at the home of her

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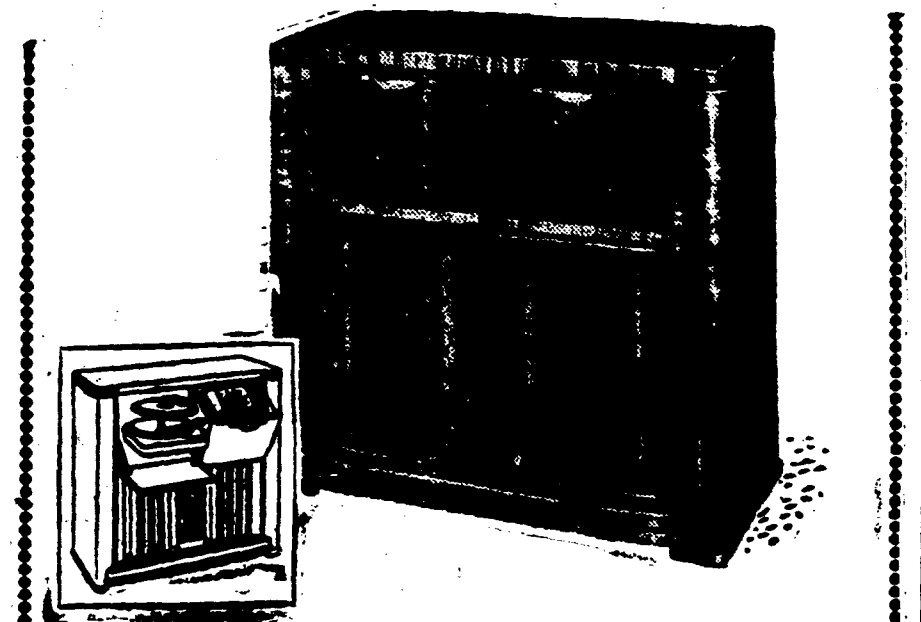
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| 1 Chrome Breakfast Set | 1 Electric Mangle |
| 1 Steel Utility Cabinet | 2 Lawn Benches |
| 1 Wood Utility Cabinet | 2 Stepladders |
| 2 Cupboards | 1 Porch Matt |
| 1 Kitchen Cabinet | 1 Porch Swing |
| 1 Kitchen Table | 1 Lawn Swing |
| 2 Beds complete (old) | 1 Curtain Stretcher |
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| 1 Cedar Chest | 1 Lap Robe |
| 2 Dressers | 3 Pairs Pillows |
| 3 Beds, Springs and Mattress | 10 Cushions |
| 1 Wardrobe | 1 Lot Pictures |
| 1 Wash Stand | 1 Bedside Table |
| 1 Step Stools | 1 Desk Lamp |
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| Electric Supplies | 1 Lot of Dishes |
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Broadcasting Studios Burn At Springfield

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 18.—(P)—Studios of radio station WCVS were destroyed last night in a fire causing damages estimated at \$25,000.

The station operating on 1450 Kilocycles, 250 watt power, went off the air for 30 minutes just after the fire was discovered.

L. G. Pfefferle, an owner of the station, said broadcasts would be resumed "on schedule, at 6 A.M. CST, this morning from the Downtown area."

Pfefferle said he believed the fire started in a heating unit and smoldered between the roof of the one-story building and a false ceiling in the studio.

"A good deal of the damage was caused by water and smoke, turntables, microphones, pianos, studio equipment news machines, the air-conditioning and heating system and office equipment was ruined," he said.

"It may take a few weeks until we're able to resume operations from our three studios. It all depends on how soon we are able to get air-conditioning equipment," Pfefferle said.

He explained that the studio

stands behind an eight-story building and has no windows. "We live under forced air in the studio year around. So we couldn't possibly move back in until new air-conditioning and heating equipment is installed," he said.

No injuries to station personnel were reported in the fire.

Pfefferle is one of four owners who operate the station incorporated as WCVS, Inc.

Carrollton Man Escapes Injury In Tractor Mishap

Carrollton—Verl Owens, who is employed on the Kenneth Byland farm, escaped injury this week when he jumped from a tractor just before it went over an embankment and turned over in a creek, burying itself in water. The accident happened near the Wolfley farm when the steering wheel of the tractor broke as Owens was driving across a bridge. The tractor, which was badly damaged, was owned by John Byland.

Miss Mira Green returned home Thursday from Calistoga, Calif., where she spent several weeks on business and also visited friends.

Miss Mary Levi, a student at MacMurray college, Jacksonville, arrived Wednesday to spend the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Levi. Other holiday guests of Dr. and Mrs. Levi will be their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson and son of Waterloo, Ia. and their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Levi and son of Carlinville.

Bob Lukeman, a student at Illinois college, Jacksonville, has arrived to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lukeman.

Miss Bea Conlee of New York is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Conlee.

Officers Chosen By Woman's Club At Alexander

Officers were chosen by the Alexander Woman's club at its meeting held with Mrs. Sally Stapleton. Mrs. Stapleton was elected president. Others chosen were Mrs. Frances Beerup, vice president; Mrs. Bessie Kumble, recording secretary; and Mrs. Josephine Muckelston, corresponding secretary.

Luncheon was served from table attractively appointed with Christmas decorations. The group joined in singing Christmas carols, with Mrs. Louise Beerup as leader and Mrs. Sylvia Strawn accompanist.

A short business session was conducted by Mrs. Louise Weigand, retiring president, after which a program was presented. "The Story of Famous Christmas Music" was told and "The Hallelujah Chorus" from "The Messiah" was given by Mrs. Strawn at the piano.

Mrs. Weigand and Miss Hohman had charge of the Christmas party. Contest winners were Mrs. Evelyn Keenan and Mrs. Edna Strawn. A gift exchange followed. Guests were Mrs. Laura Ruble, Mrs. Evelyn Keenan, Mrs. Esther Shutt, Mrs. Byron Strawn and Mrs. Clarence Schewe.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 26 with Mrs. Mary Proffitt.

Social Events

Teachers Reading Circle Meets With Mrs. Schwendeman
The Teacher's Reading circle held its December meeting at the home of Mrs. Erma Schwendemann, 632 Hardin avenue. The meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. Kathleen Long.

Reports were given by Mrs. Marie Lamsink, Eva Daniels, Mary Litch and Mrs. Long. A Christmas party and gift exchange followed. Hostesses were Mrs. Emma Hembrough and Mrs. Thelma Daly.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 14 at the home of Mrs. Mabel Overt. A potluck supper will be served at 6:30 p.m. Members are invited to bring guests.

Dickens Discussed At Meeting Friday
"The Immortal Characters of Dickens" was the topic of the program presented by Mrs. Earl Underbrink at the meeting of the South Side Circle held Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. Franklin Epler, 1058 West College.

Mrs. H. L. Caldwell was program chairman. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Julian Hall, president. A gift exchange followed the meeting. Refreshments were served from an attractively-appointed tea table. The next meeting will be held Jan. 7 with Miss Emma Hunter, 802 South East street.

PARENTS OF DAUGHTER
Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Treat of Winchester are parents of a daughter, Gloria Jean, born Dec. 11 at Our Saviour's hospital. The child weighed eight pounds and one ounce.

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Other officers elected were: Ralph W. Choiser, Harrisburg, secretary; Robert C. Underwood, Bloomington, first vice president; Gale A. Mathers, Galesburg, second vice president; and Judson E. Harris, DuQuoin; William F. Waugh, Chicago and Carl Smith, Metropolis, directors.

Social Calendar

Monday
Chapter C. Y. of P. E. O. will meet at 2:30 p.m. Monday with Mrs. M. C. Hook, 1320 West Lafayette avenue.

Tuesday
The Past Matron's club of Wilber chapter, No. 358, O.E.S., will meet in the ladies' lounge of the Masonic Temple at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. There will be a Mystery Pal gift exchange. Hostesses for the evening will be Laura Hatfield, Erma Kendall, Idella Phillips and Ethel P. Ericson. Tuesday club will have its annual Christmas party Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. G. Cody, 805 West Douglas avenue. Mrs. L. P. Hauck will give the paper on "Religious Art." Contributions for the Salvation Army are to be brought to this meeting.

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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bergschneider of Alexander are parents of a daughter born Thursday at 12:26 a.m. at Our Saviour's hospital. The weight was 7 pounds 11 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McChure of Pleasant Plains are parents of a son weighing 8 pounds 71 ounces born at Our Saviour's hospital at 10:37 a.m. Friday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayes, 922 North Main street, Friday at 11:30 a.m. at Our Saviour's hospital. The weight was 7 pounds 51 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Richardson, rural route two, Franklin, are parents of a daughter born at 8:50 p.m. Friday at Passavant hospital. The weight was 7 pounds 1 ounce.

Eleven Candidates Initiated Thursday By Rebekah Lodge

A class of eleven candidates were initiated into Caritas Rebekah lodge No. 625 in special ceremonies conducted at a meeting held Thursday evening in the I.O.O.F. hall on East State street.

The class comprised Margaret Tayman, Ethel Woolridge, Wayne Woolridge, Leone J. Pearson, Helen Wilkinson, Alta Hungerford, Annabel Wild, Virginia Eileen Hacker, Mary E. Johnson, Viola Hicks and S.C. Sikes.

The degrees were conferred by the Rebekah staff, with Mrs. Clara Watt as staff captain. The staff also conferred the degree on four candidates from Meredosa lodge No. 151. Ina Mae Blair, Julia Webel, Goldie Lerch and Mary Irvin were the candidates.

Following the ceremonies refreshments were served. Guests were present from Winchester, Franklin and Rebekah lodge No. 13.

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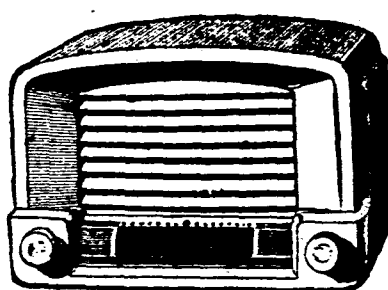
Alexander Man Heads Outboard Racing Group

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 18.—(P)—The Mid-states Outboard Racing association was organized here last night by representatives of boat clubs at Springfield, Decatur and Jacksonville.

Ellis Willoughby of Alexander, who was elected Commodore, said the association planned to stage outboard races next summer in waters near all three cities.

George Yeakley of Decatur was named vice commodore; Paul Haver, Springfield, purser, and R. O. Koelske, Springfield, yeoman.

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Eagles, Cardinals Meet Today In NFL Championship Game

Philadelphia, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Threatened by two kinds of dark clouds—one bearing snow and the other filled with rumors—the Philadelphia Eagles and Chicago Cardinals met tomorrow in the championship play-off game of the National football league.

The weather threatens to be a major factor in the title battle before a sellout crowd of 37,000 at Shibe Park. The rumors, which have been growing daily, concern the league's draft meeting which will be held Monday, coinciding with the final session of the rival All America conference in Cleveland.

Officially, nothing is on the NFL agenda but the completion of the player draft. Unofficially there are hints that something more important may take place and discussions around headquarters today were more deeply concerned with the meeting than the playoff game.

Alexis Thompson, owner of the Eagles, has been plumping for an agreement between the two leagues on signing players, a desire with which the All America circuit is in complete accord.

Clashing for the second straight year in the championship game, the Cardinals and Eagles were rated virtually even in strength. On the basis of past performances and season records, the local betting fraternity installed the Cardinals as 3-point favorites but the coaches agreed it was a game that might be decided by the weather and the breaks.

Tomorrow's weather forecast calls for rain and snow and a temperature in the mid thirties following a sunny, chilly day that permitted both teams to take their final workouts on a drying-out field.

Coach Jimmy Conzelmann, whose Cardinals have beaten Philadelphia in their last five meetings, was somewhat pessimistic about another victory as the Cards arrived an hour late from Chicago.

"We are a bit tired and we are playing on their field. I really fear the worst," said the white-haired Chicago coach.

"A lot depends on Paul Christman, who has had a fractured finger. We're going to take the cast off and see what he can do. The Eagles have the leading runner in the league in Steve Van Buren and the leading passer in Tommy Thompson. Their attack used to be one-sided but not any more."

The Cards, who won eleven and lost only one of their regular season games, have a pretty fair one-two punch themselves with Charley Trippi and Elmer Angsman running and Christmas and Ray Malouf passing. They won last year's playoff in Chicago 28 to 21 and repeated 21-14 on the opening game this season. The only Cardinal loss during the 1948 campaign was to the Chicago Bears and they wiped that out in a return engagement.

The Eagles, after losing to the Cards, played a 28-2 tie with the Los Angeles Rams and dropped a 37-14 decision to the Boston Yanks after the eastern title race had been settled.

Tomorrow's game is scheduled to start at 12:30 p.m. (CST).

S. Jacksonville Grade Five Whips Waverly Quintet

The South Jacksonville midgrade graders whipped Waverly grade school five by a 29 to 26 margin on the local Franklin school boards Friday night.

Barnes, South Jacksonville's captain, took high scoring honors for the evening, garnering 15 tallies for his evening's work. Marshall's 13 was tops for the Waverly crew.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Chicago, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Nominally steady quotations prevailed in the livestock market today. Top hog was quotable at \$22.50. Top on hogs was quotable at \$22.50.

At the end of the week, prices on practically all meat animals and dressed meat were lower than a week earlier. The slump in cattle carried the average slaughter steer price to \$26.08, which was \$1.64 under the previous week and the lowest since early last March.

Hogs ended the week steady to 2¢ lower. The steady price was paid for light weight butchers. Some heavy hogs experienced the big decline.

Top for choice cattle during the week was \$35.50, but only one loss brought that price.

Woolled lambs lost 50 cents and short lambs 50 cents to \$1 for the week.

New York Stock Market

New York, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Enough demand developed in the stock market today to keep prices steady.

Most issues moved only fractionally, if at all, from the previous close. Gains and losses were about a standoff.

The total turnover in the neighborhood of 400,000 shares.

Issues marked up included U. S. Steel, Youngstown Sheet & Tube, Douglas Aircraft, American Smelting and Refining, and American Lumber.

In the curb Universal Consolidated Oil jumped 4.

Bonds moved narrowly.

GRAINS, SOYBEANS, LARD ALL DECLINE; DEALINGS LIGHT

Chicago, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Grains, soybeans and lard all worked lower on the Board of Trade today. Selling was not very large except in soybeans, where a fair-sized boost in the Agriculture department's crop estimates brought out considerable liquidation.

At times soybeans had losses of more than 5 cents a bushel with the December contract bearing the brunt of the selling.

A part of the liquidation in wheat came from the southwest. Chief factor behind the general downturn was the Agriculture department's final summary of 1948 crop production, which nailed down the fact that the nation had experienced its greatest harvesting year.

Trading lagged much of the session, but was featured by several small rallies which each time pushed quotations down to a new low for the day.

Wheat closed 1-1/2 lower, December 2.35-1/2, corn was 1-1/2 lower, December 1.42, oats were 1-1/2 lower, December 1.17, soybeans were 2 1/2 to 5 cents lower, December 42.53, and lard was 20 to 35 cents a hundred pounds lower, December 17.30.

Preliminary estimated receipts of grain in cars today: wheat 1, corn 105, oats 16, rye 11, barley 23, soybeans 8.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

James Hocking of Franklin and Maria Shalla of Jacksonville.

Richard Morrow of Greenfield and Eva Mae Stanfield of Murrayville.

Lowell Clinton Eubanks and Louise Chapman, both of Alton.

William T. Casey and Helen Sowers, both of Jacksonville.

James T. Prince of St. Louis and Mary Sabatina of Jacksonville.

Busby Services Held Saturday

Funeral services for Horace C. Busby were held at the Williamson Funeral Home Saturday afternoon, with the Rev. Sidney A. Guthrie officiating. He was assisted by the Rev. John W. Collins.

Mrs. Hugh Green was the soloist. She was accompanied at the organ by Mrs. G. C. Webster.

The floral tributes were cared for by Miss Mary Campbell, Mrs. Dorothy Woods, Mrs. Ora Campbell and Mrs. Helen Gotschall.

The casketbearers were George Riggs, Walter Patterson, Olen Gotschall, Ernest Hoagland, Charles Jackson and Ed Ranson.

Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Carrollton Girls To Sponsor Dance

Carrollton — Miss Barbara King, Carrollton — Miss Barbara King, president of the local F.H.A. club has announced that the Carrollton chapter of the Future Homemakers of America will sponsor a Christmas dance Wednesday, Dec. 22, in the high school gymnasium. The dance will start at 9 p.m. Carl Goforth and his band are to furnish the music for the evening.

Miss Ruth Whiteside is chairman of the ticket sales. The public is cordially invited.

Chapin Five Edges Franklin Quintet In Close Contest

Chapin—Paul Blakeman's Chapin cagers edged a Franklin crew in a thrilling 38 to 37 contest on the Chapin boards last night.

The host school jumped into an early lead, fronting the Franklin hoopers 11 to 3 at the end of the first quarter. A second period drive by the Franklin five cut the lead to 19 to 11 at the intermission, but with Staake, Chapin pivot man, dropping in several "quicksies," the Bears widened the gap in the third frame. The Blakeman coached lads started leaving the contest via the four route in the last frame, and the invaders came rapidly from behind to almost snatch a victory from the hosts in the last few seconds of play. However, Chapin reserves held the narrow 38 to 37 advantage long enough to emerge the victor.

Staake was the big scorer for the home team with 13 tallies, while White's 12 markers was high for the Franklin bunch.

In the curtain-raiser, the Chapin seconds won their first contest of the season, taking a 35 to 27 victory from the Franklin reserves.

The box score:

	FG	FT	TP
Chapin	15	8	38
Franklin	15	8	37
D. Taylor, f	3	1	7
Dunnaway, f	1	1	3
Wieries, f	2	1	5
Bonds, c	3	0	6
Staake, g	5	4	14
A. Taylor, g	1	0	2
Alderson, g	0	1	1
Totals	15	8	38
Franklin	15	8	37
Hembrough, f	2	1	5
White, f	3	6	12
Sauer, c	1	2	4
Sweet, c	2	5	9
Hocking, g	1	1	3
Cline, g	0	2	2
Totals	15	8	37

By quarters:
Chapin.....11 19 38
Franklin.....3 11 27
Officials — Savage, Jacksonville and Ligon, Winchester.

Eddleman Sparks Illini To 80-61 Win Over Quakers

Champaign, Ill., Dec. 18.—(AP)—Illinois, sparked by Dike Eddleman's 22 points, ran away from Pennsylvania in the second half for a 80 to 61 basketball triumph over the Quakers tonight.

After a cautiously played first-half ended 34-30 in Illinois' favor, the Illini exploded for 10 points within seven minutes of the second half for a 53 to 36 margin.

Eddleman, who plunked in 10 baskets and two free throws for the evening, counted nine points in the Illini spree. The star Illini forward left the game with 10 minutes remaining and Illinois ahead 57-39. Eddleman got his 10 field goals on 23 shots.

Pennsylvania was led by Forward Bob Carlson with 14 points and Guards Phil Harman and Harry Wettlaufer with 12 each.

The score changed hands five times and was twice tied in the first half.

Carlson bagged 10 of his points in the first half and when he lost his shooting eye in the second half, the Quakers never had a chance.

A small crowd of 3,100 watched the Christmas holiday contest at Huff gymnasium.

Pennsylvania (61) G F P FT TP
Carlson, f.....6 2 3 14
Heindel, f.....1 0 2 2
Baumler, f.....2 2 6 6
Bagnell, f.....0 0 1 0
Sharenow, f.....0 0 0 0
Lyon, c.....5 1 0 11
Toth, c.....0 0 0 0
Harman, g.....6 0 1 12
Wettlaufer, g.....4 4 5 12
Jeffries, g.....1 2 1 4
Totals.....25 11 15 61

Illinois (80) G F P FT TP
Eddleman, f.....10 2 1 22
Sunderlage, f.....2 2 2 6
Beach, f.....1 0 0 2
Truglio, f.....1 0 0 2
Osterkorn, c.....2 1 3 7
Green, c.....1 0 2 2
Kersulis, c.....3 3 3 9
Erickson, g.....2 6 1 10
Thurby, g.....3 0 0 6
Foley, g.....1 0 1 2
Marks, g.....2 0 3 4
Anderson, g.....2 0 2 4
Gatewood, g.....2 0 0 4
Totals.....33 14 18 80

Half time score: Illinois 34; Pennsylvania 30.

Free throws missed: Pennsylvania — Baumler 3, Heindel 2, Lyon 2, Carlson, Bagnell, Wettlaufer (10). Illinois — Eddleman 2, Osterkorn 2, Sanderlage, Erickson and Anderson (7).

MRS. McHENRY HEADS NORTHMINSTER CLASS

Mrs. Edwin McHenry, 615 S. Prairie street, was elected president of Northminster church's Merry Mads Sunday school class at the annual Christmas party held recently at the Henry Bodensick residence.

Mrs. George Davis was chosen vice president; Mrs. Dan Fortado, secretary; Mrs. Loren DeFries, treasurer; and Mrs. Willard Tranbarger, cards and flowers.

The meeting, attended by 14, was conducted by Mrs. Elvin Hise, past president, who read Luke's Christmas story. The door prize was won by Mrs. Tranbarger. A gift exchange was held and refreshments served.

Mrs. McHenry will be hostess at the January meeting.

FLIES TO CINCINNATI

Mrs. Francis Taylor, R. N., of Passavant hospital and Maplewood sanatorium left by T.V.A. Airlines from St. Louis to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sarah Taylor Downing and son, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

LOCAL BRADLEY STUDENT ATTENDS NEW YORK GAME

James Jordan, 570 N. Webster, a student at Bradley University in Peoria returned Saturday from New York City where he attended the Bradley-Manhattan basketball game Thursday night at Madison Square Garden. Bradley won the game 81 to 72.

Belgium still has a wooden shoe industry, making them for local sales and for shipment to France and The Netherlands.

Keglers' Korner



Thursday Night—Elks League
Eades Transfer 2, Jax News Agency 1, Cosgriff Cafe 2, Davidson Tavern 1, Macs Clothes Shop 3, Barr's Laundry 0, Noudetts Sporting Goods 2, Dunlap Hotel 1, Lukeman Motor Co. 3, Jax Trailways 0, Purity Cleaners 2, Jax Novelty Co. 1.

High team series—Noudetts 2549.
High individual series—Eoff 609, Hughett 584, Ischer 550. High individual game—Eoff 234, Hughett 233, Morrow 209, Zell 209, Davidson 207.

Thursday Night—Ladies
Russells Mkt. 3, Tots & Teens 0, Douglas Tap Room 3, Christison 0, Barnes Vendors 2, James Shop 1, Ruby's Food Mart 2, Jax Trailways 1, Stag Beer 3, Due Bros. & Garry 0, Whites 2, Coles 1.

High team series—Barnes Vendors 2120. High team game—Barnes Vendors 810.

High individual series—Thompson 508, Eyre 481, Miller 472. High individual game—Thompson 202, Hughett 109, Morrow 183.

Friday—Classic League
2. Withee Sporting Goods 2, Watts DX 1. Producers Dairy 2, B & E Tavern 1, Blackman Standard Service 3, Budweiser 0.

High team series—Blackmans 2766. High individual series—Baptist 582, White 579, Groves 577. High individual game—Baptist 213, Martin 223, Groves 218, Stark 213, Wight 212. Reveal 211.

Friday Night—Municipal
Allens Dairy 2, V.F.W. No. 2. 1. Amvets 2, Hudsons Dairy 1, V.F.W. No. 1, 3. Keglers, 0.

High team series—V.F.W. No. 1, 2277.

High individual series—Reynolds 529. High individual game—Reynolds 212.

Friday Night—Community League
Nesco No. 3, 2, Cozy Corner 1, Elk Giants 3, Walker Motor Co. 0, Nesco No. 2, 3, Ill. Steel Bridge Co. 0, Brummetts 3, Drakes 0, Campbell Bros. 2, Blesses 66, 1, Elm City Bus 2, Nesco No. 1, 1.

High team series—Elk Giants 2250. High individual series—Elk Giants 887.

High individual game—Irwin 585, Scott 558, Suter 536, Andell 534, Corbridge 533, Begenel 525. High individual game—Corbridge 230, Mansfield 222, Hundley 213, Irwin 213.

Cleveland Browns Go After Third AAFC Title Today

Cleveland, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Cleveland's twice-champion Browns go after the third leg on the All-America football conference title cup tomorrow.

The baffling Browns, who have swept through 14 straight games this year for the new loop's only all-winning campaign, meet Buffalo's Eastern division winners.

The game starts at 12:30 p.m. (CST) and the Browns are almost prohibitive favorites over the New Yorkers, who have lost seven of 15. In fact, should Buffalo win this one it probably would go into the record books as "the miracle of the bills" and erase the Army-Navy and Notre Dame-Southern Cal results from consideration as the surprises of the year.

The Browns have throttled the Bills three times this year, once in an exhibition and twice in title games. The Clevelanders have piled up 73 points to Buffalo's 27 in the two title games. That's the Browns' best scoring punch against any club, and the victory margin is the greatest.

CHRISTMAS RECITAL GIVEN BY PUPILS

Fourteen pupils of Mrs. Mildred Isle participated in the Christmas party recital given Saturday morning at the MacMurray College music hall.

Those who took part include Beverly Bray, Barbara Dunlap, Billy Lyons, Joan Carol Isle, Sue Anne Crowe, Frances Ann Robinson, Donna Rae Petefish, Bob Bradley, Jimmy Elliott, Larry Anderson, Robert Isle, Agnes Ann Carson, Carol Shafner and Carol McNamara.

CASS CLUB CHANGES MEETING DATE

Virginia—The Sugar Grove Community club will hold their annual Christmas party at the Sugar Grove school Tuesday, Dec. 21, at 7:30. The date had previously been set for Monday, but had to be changed.

Saukees Notch Win Number Five; Whip Roodhouse

Pittsfield—The Saukees of Pittsfield high made it five cage wins in a row last night with a 43 to 34 victory over the Roodhouse Railroaders on the Pike county boards.

The Roodhouse quintet took an early lead, and held it through the first quarter. The host school, trailing 10 to 9 at this stage of the fracas, suddenly got going in the second canto, took the lead, and were never again headed by the visitors.

Nelbur and Williams led the victors' offense with 12 and 10 tallies each, while Scott, Railroaders hooper, took high scoring honors for the match with 13 tallies.

The box score:

	FG	FT	TP
Pittsfield	18	8	43
Roodhouse	10	17	26
Zimmerman	2	1	5
Bell	2	1	5
Williams	5	0	10
Voschall	2	2	6
Collier	2	1	5
Nelbur	5	2	12
Totals	18	8	43
Roodhouse	10	17	26
Ballard	3	1	7
Hendrickson	2	0	4
Scott	5	3	13
Landerth	1	2	4
Hutton	0	3	3
Benner	1	1	3
Totals	12	10	34

By quarters:
Pittsfield.....9 23 33 43
Roodhouse.....10 17 26 34

Agree To End Grid Team Owners War At AAFC Meeting

Cleveland, Dec. 18.—(AP)—All-America conference football owners counted the cash in their pockets today before agreeing with a National League magnate that the time for peace in their gridiron war has arrived.

The conference moguls gave all their eight clubs a financial bill of health, including the dollar-starved Chicago Rockets.

Then they agreed with George Halas, owner of the National League Chicago Bears, that the time for peace is now.

Halas, in Philadelphia for that Circuit's playoff game, said a "sensible solution" of the situation was due and indicated he would introduce the subject at the National League meeting on Monday.

Jonas Ingram, commissioner of the conference, said he was glad "I sincerely hope something along that time will develop."

He added that he still favored a playoff game on Dec. 26 between the champions of the Circuits and pointed out that the weather in Los Angeles would be favorable to such a contest.

Otherwise there was little peace discussion. The moguls here spent the day tackling their own financial ills.

Name Murakowski Most Valuable Of Big-Nine

Chicago, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Fullback Art Murakowski of Rose Bowl-bound Northwestern today was named the Big Nine's most valuable player for the 1948 season by the Chicago Tribune.

Murakowski and a player from each of the other conference schools had been nominated most valuable on their respective squads by teammates.

An all-America selection, Murakowski was picked the league's best by a board composed of the nine coaches, officials, commissioner K. L. "Tug" Wilson, and sports editor Arch Ward and football writer Willard Smith of the Tribune.

Murakowski, a junior from East Chicago, Ind., will receive a silver football on the 25th anniversary of the most valuable award.

The balloting was on a point basis with two for first choice and one for second. Although the vote was kept secret, it was reported Murakowski was named on 13 ballots.

Runner-up Harry Szulborski, Purdue fullback, received seven mentions. Another fullback, Ohio State's Joe Whisler was third, followed closely by guard Dominic Tomasi of Michigan, halfback George Taniafero of Indiana, and Iowa quarterback Al Di Marco.

Eddie Stanky Has Ankle Operation

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 18.—(AP)—Stout-hearted Eddie Stanky underwent an apparently successful operation here today to correct an ankle injury which the Boston Braves' second sacker suffered last July.

It took a surgeon's knife to prove just what a scrapper the National League champs have on their roster. The Mobile bone specialist who operated said he found two fragments of bone in Stanky's crippled right ankle. One was lying in the ankle joint, causing constant pressure and pain.

With his ankle in that condition, Stanky played in the world series, sprinting for first base as hard as the next batter.

The surgeon said Stanky will "have a good leg" as the result of removal of the fragments. The operation took about 40 minutes. It was performed under a general anesthetic.

Meredosia Pupils To Give Operetta

Meredosia—The Meredosia grade school operetta, "Susanna's Christmas Auction," will be given Tuesday at 7:45 p.m. at the high school.

The cast includes the following students: Marie Walker, Kenneth Brownlee, Bonnie Ransom, Robert Durendack, Dixie Griebler, Duane Allen, Virginia Dawson, Mark Unland, Delbert Plunket, Joel Dean McDonald, Beverly Griffin, Hazel Simmons, Peggy Petri, Merlyn Smith, Joe McDonald, Jimmy Cook, Lonnie McDonald and Jimmy Rousch.

To Spend Vacation Here

Miss Catherine Goebel, student at the Pennsylvania College for Women in Pittsburgh, will arrive in Jacksonville Wednesday to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Goebel, 11 Jones Place.

Meet The Blueboys



Bob Murrin

Bob Murrin, sky-scraping Blueboy pivot man, is but one of the five Danville boys playing on the Hilltopper varsity. A junior in the local college, the 6 ft. 6 in. center is a transfer student from the University of Illinois, where he played freshman ball for the Champaign-Urbana outfit.

Going into the Eureka fray Saturday night, Bob was third highest scorer on the Miller coached squad with a 10.8 average for four games. The tall hooper is a very valuable cager under the nets. Bob does not participate in any other major sport on the Hilltop campus, but is a mean hand with the golf clubs during the fair-weather months.

Shouse Hits 20 Points

Al Miller's Blueboy quintet climbed back aboard the victory train last night at the I.S.D. station when they smothered a Eureka college five by a 67 to 48 margin.

Both teams were very chilly in the initial minutes of play, and neither quint scored very impressively the entire first half. The invading Red Devils managed to fight it out on even terms with the host crew for the first eight minutes of the contest, but fell behind in the next frame and registered only 16 tallies to give the hilltoppers a 27 to 16 lead at the ten minute break.

Broers, visiting forward, was the main factor in the Eureka offensive, marking 8 tallies in the first canto. However, one man wasn't enough to keep the Red Devils in the game, and with Don Longer and Bob Murrin tipping the ball back into the bucket time after time, the local quint pulled away from the Eureka lads.

Longer, Murrin Rebound
Longer and Murrin, lengthy I.C. pivot men, had things coming their way in the opening minutes, battling the leather over the heads of a shorter Eureka outfit at will. Murrin counted four buckets under the nets, while Longer tipped in three more to lead the Blueboy attack the first half. However, both boys committed four personals in this canto, and were forced to slow down. Murrin left the contest on fouls just after opening of second period hostilities. Longer played only a few minutes of this frame before giving way to a substitute.

Shouse Hot Last Half
Bill Shouse cut loose with his customary second half spurt to spearhead the Millermen's attack after the intermission. After garnering only 2 baskets in the first period, he came back to chalk up 6

Blueboys Grab Win From Eureka Quintet; Shouse Hits 20 Points

This was the first loss in five games for the invading quintet. After losing their first encounter of the season, they came back strong to take the next four contests before finally bowing to the local college last night. The Blueboys won their first two starts this winter, then dropped a couple of frays, only to come alive tonight and record a win, which gives them a season's count of 3 victories and 2 failures.

Art Wilson and Barney Vilk, two local players who have been on the sick list, were given light workouts by the hilltop mentor in this fray. Art started the second half as a sub for Don Longer, while Barney was inserted into the fracas at several stages and came through for three buckets and a total of six points.

Holley Tournay Tuesday
Miller is expecting both basketballs to be in top shape for the holiday tournament, which opens Tuesday night at I.S.D. Four teams are entered in this elimination game. Northern Minnesota Teachers will battle the Quincy five in the curtain raiser the 21st at 7:30 p.m. The host Blueboy quint meets Shurtleff college in the 9:00 melee. The next evening the winners and losers of each event will tangle, with the Tuesday night losers playing in the 7:30 prelin, and the winners tussling for the championship at 9:00.

This is the first time in the history of Illinois college that such an event has been undertaken, and school officials will be watching its success to determine continuation of the meet. It will probably be the best opportunity local fans will have this winter to see so much collegiate basketball in two nights. Four topnotch teams can be seen in action, with each quint playing in two games. Jacksonville fans cannot afford to miss this match the 21st and 22nd of December at the I.S.D. gymnasium.

Arenzville Women Hear Health, Home Safety Reports

Arenzville—Health and home safety reports were given by Mrs. Florence Nobel and Mrs. O. W. Hackman during the Arenzville Home Bureau meeting Thursday at the Hackman home.

The meeting, with Mrs. Alvin Heltbrink presiding in the absence of Mrs. Rena Kruse, also included lessons by Mrs. Elmer Roegge, Mrs. Horace Clark and Mrs. George Morrison.

Mrs. Hackman had charge of the social hour, during which games were played. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Louis Witte and Mrs. George Morrison. Following a gift exchange, the group, accompanied by Mrs. Charles Winkelman at the piano, sang Christmas carols.

Punch and cookies were served by the hostess, Mrs. Charles Winkelman and daughter, Charlene, of Springfield were guests.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Morrison.

Rose Bowl Special Headed For Calif.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The Rose Bowl Special pulled out tonight, carrying 44 Northwestern University gridders to Pasadena for their New Year's Day date with California's Bears.

The Wildcats' 140 piece band and a host of well-wishers were on hand to see them off. The big band will leave Dec. 28. Hopes were strong that Northwestern would be the third consecutive Big Nine representative to win in the bowl.

Coach Bob Voigts, Athletic Director Ted Payseur, Big Nine Commissioner Kenneth L. (Tug) Wilson and other officials were on the special, due to arrive on the coast Monday morning (9 a.m., PST).

Twice-a-day workouts are in store for the 'Cats for four days, beginning the day after they arrive. They'll have Christmas and Sunday off and the double drills will resume Monday.

Twice-beaten Northwestern is expected to be a slight favorite over the undefeated Bears. Big Nine teams gained plenty of prestige in the last two Rose Bowl games. Underdog Illinois dumped U.C.L.A. in 1947 and Michigan swamped Southern California last New Year's Day.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Dec. 18.—(AP)—No wheat. Corn: No. 2 yellow 1.45-45 1/2; No. 3 1.40-43 1/2; No. 4 1.32-35 1/2; No. 5 1.27-31 1/2; sample grade 1.21-22 1/2; No. 4 white 1.21-22 1/2; Oats: No. 1 mixed 88 1/2; sample grade heavy mixed 88 1/2; No. 1 heavy white 89-90; No. 3 88 1/2.

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NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE ESTATE OF MARY HAVENS, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, February 7, 1949, is the claim date in the estate of Mary Havens, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

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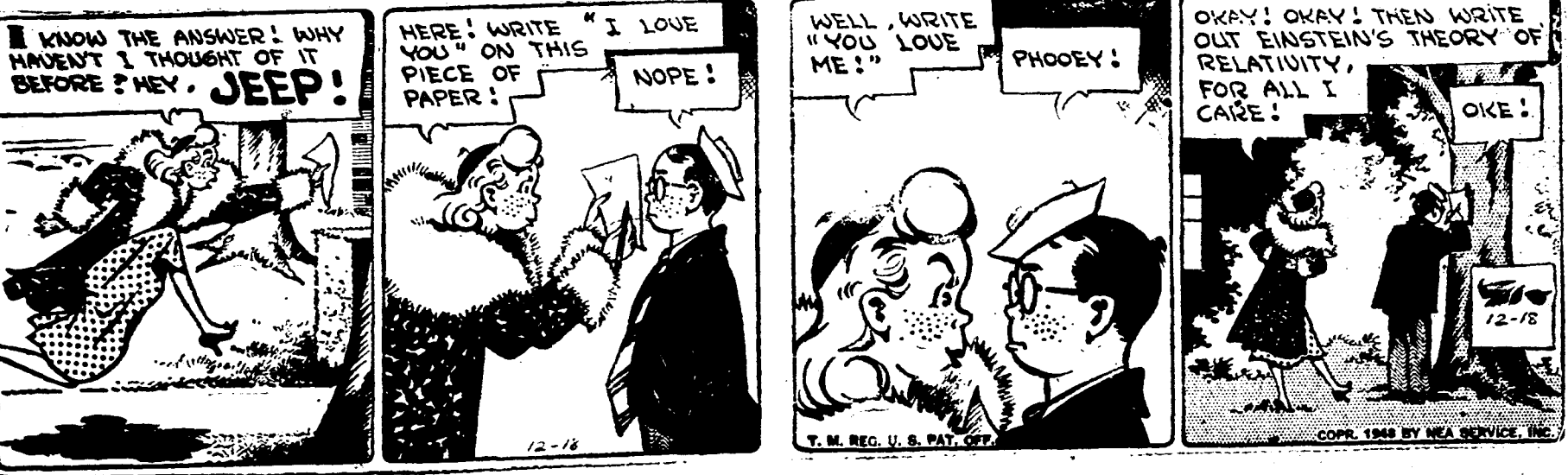
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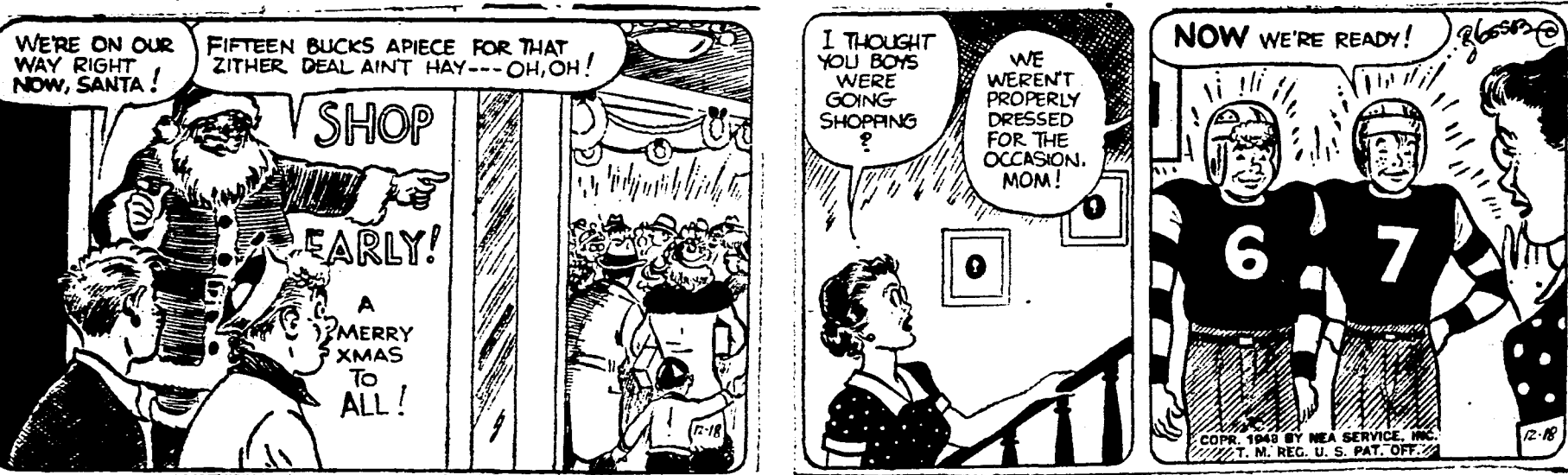
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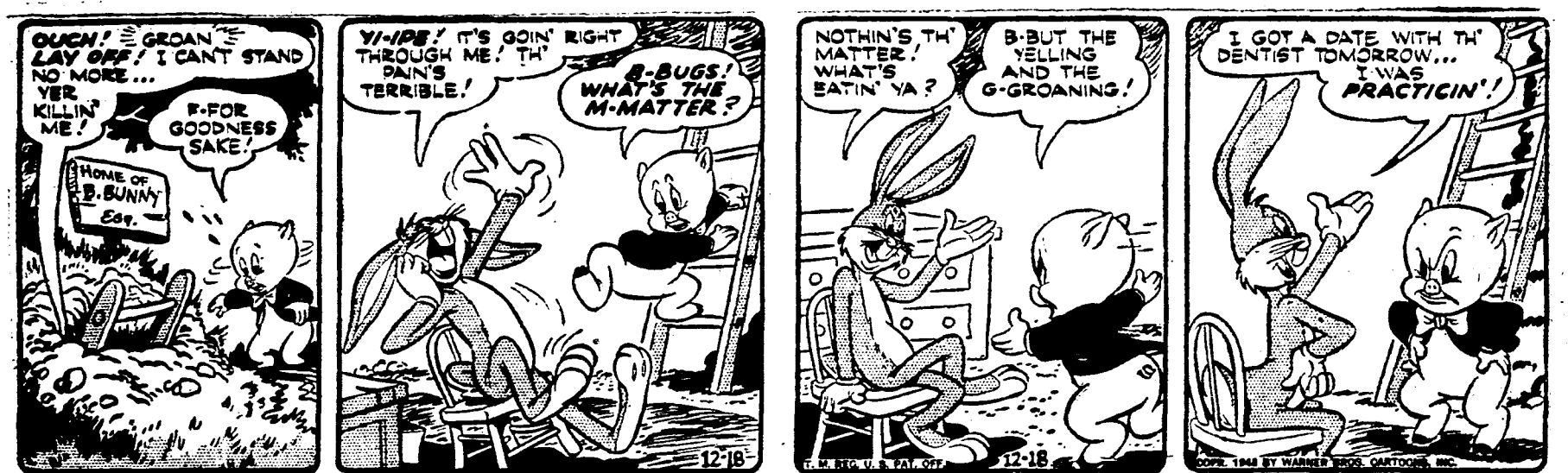


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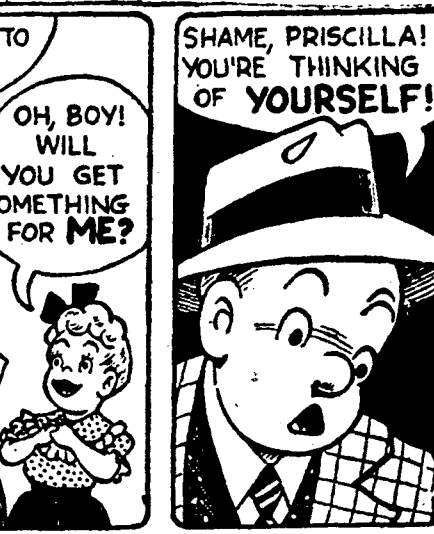
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Winchester Physician Injured; Aunt Killed In Crash Near Breese

Glasgow—Dr. Paul Garrison, a prominent Winchester doctor, was injured and his aunt, Mrs. Harry Duff of Hillview was killed in an automobile accident near Breese early Saturday evening.

Dr. Garrison was taken to a hospital in Breese, where X-rays revealed that he had sustained a fractured vertebra.

He also suffered bad cuts on the leg and knee. His condition is not regarded as serious. He was able to telephone his wife from the hospital, informing her of the accident. Mrs. Duff died while enroute to the hospital in an ambulance. The particulars of the wreck were not learned.

Dr. Garrison was taking his aunt to Duquoin, Ill., where she was to spend the holidays with her son, Dr. Clarence Duff, who had recently undergone an appendectomy.

Mrs. Duff, who has taught at the Hillview grade school for about 20 years, is survived by her husband; her son, father, Ira Thurmon of Hillview; one sister, Clara Garrison, also of Hillview; one brother, Earl Thurmon of Meredosia; and several nieces and nephews.

Speech Winner



Keith Gibb was the winner of the public speaking contest held in the Franklin high school gym Monday by the Franklin chapter, Future Farmers of America.

Jim Ranson placed second and Muri Spradlin won third place. Nine boys participated in the contest. Other speakers were Bernard Newingham, Joe White, Bob Wood, Darrell Smith, Murray Burnett and Carroll Newingham. The winner spoke on the topic "Better Steers for the Feed Lots." Jim Ranson discussed "The Importance of Field Crops," and Muri Spradlin spoke on "Conservation." Keith Gibb was awarded a silver chapter speaking contest medal.

The contest was judged by George C. Egbert, the vocational agriculture instructor at Jacksonville, Art Phillips and Bob Mulch, student teachers from the University of Illinois.

Former Resident Of New Berlin Dies Saturday

New Berlin—Mrs. Caroline Hamman, 77, formerly of New Berlin, passed away at 8 a.m. Saturday at her residence in Milwaukee, Wis.

The remains will arrive here Monday morning and will be taken to the McCullough Funeral Home, where friends may call Monday afternoon and evening.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday at 9 a.m. at the St. Mary's Catholic church by the Rev. Father C. J. Fanning.

Interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery, New Berlin.

Funeral Services

Funeral services for Frank M. Metcalf were held Saturday afternoon at the Cody & Son Memorial Home, with the Rev. William J. Boston officiating.

Vocal selections were given by Mr. Boston and his daughter, Edith. The former played the guitar accompaniment, assisted by Mrs. Leola Hutchison at the pipe organ.

The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Charles Ornellas, Mrs. Russell Scroggins and Mrs. Julia Gaither. The casketbearers were C. O. Anderson, George McLain, Hanaile Dixon, Charles Ornellas, Russell Scroggins and Robert Anderson.

Fred S. Killam Funeral rites for Fred S. Killam will be held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at the Williamson Funeral Home. Burial will be in Liberty cemetery.

4-H CORN AND SOYBEAN CHAMPS FOR '48



The high quality entries in the Morgan county 4-H corn and soybean show held at the Farm Bureau Saturday reflected the near-perfect growing season of 1948.

The judge, George C. Egbert of the vocational department, Jacksonville high school, studied the samples closely and then admittedly based his final decision mostly upon the care used in keeping the project record books.

"All the samples shown here today are excellent," he declared.

Albert Taylor of Chapin, 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Taylor, was the top winner of the day. His Lincoln soybeans won the only A rating in that division; his corn shared the championship with that shown by Darrell Smith of Alexander.

Winning corn championships is nothing new for Smith. His 1947 entry won a similar award.

The judge, John E. Becker, Donald McNeely and Taylor appear to be having a grand time as they examine three high-grade samples of Lincoln soybeans.

The other picture shows Smith and Taylor with their corn exhibits. Farm Adviser E. H. Garlich was in charge of the annual show.

Record books accompanying the entries showed a wide spread. Some of the boys made considerable money on their project; others had good gross returns, but relatively high production costs.

Farmers Open New Seed House, Feed Mill In Virginia

Virginia—The first load of ground feed was processed through the Cass Farmers' Supply company feed mill and elevator Thursday. Walter Clarke, local farmer and barber, received the feed.

While the construction of the huge enterprise is still not completed, Manager Barnett expects full scale operation in the near future.

Besides the feed grinder and mixer, the plant also will be able to clean seed for their patrons and buy grain. The overall investment in remodeling the grain elevator and the installation of machinery, as well as the large warehouse will run into six figures.

The elevator proper has eight storage bins, with car loading facilities. A new lift has been installed in the main drive of the elevator. It is mounted on a track to facilitate the dumping of trucks in either of the three underground bins.

One bin is for storage, another for the feed mill and the other for seed cleaning. The grain is conveyed to overhead bins on "bucket belts," from there it goes into the different mills or is stored.

The facilities furnished by this enterprise has long been needed by the farmers of the Virginia area. Heretofore they had to transport their grain many miles to have it ground or cleaned.

Conservation Farming Found More Profitable

Urbana — Conservation farming pays off in cold cash in one to four years, states E. L. Sauer, soils economist employed jointly by the University of Illinois College of Agriculture and the Federal Soil Conservation Service.

Although the returns are not immediate, long-term net profits were \$4.17 to \$10.63 an acre higher on various high-conservation farms in Illinois than on similar low-conservation farms, Sauer said. Both types of farms practiced conservation, one quite intensively and the other very little. This was the only difference between them.

Sauer, one of three men in the United States studying the costs and profits of soil conservation, has been working on this problem for 11 years.

The complete cost of setting up a conservation plan would average \$34.12 an acre, a survey of 124 farms in LaSalle, Will, Livingston, Ford, Vermillion, and Iroquois counties showed. This sum includes \$14.45 an acre for extra buildings equipment, machinery, and livestock.

Even where cash sale of grain is the main farm income, conservation plans produce dollar profits on a short-run basis, Sauer added.

Hugh Chaney Dies Saturday Night

Hugh Chaney, a resident of this city for 30 years, died at the Green Nursing Home at 9 p.m. Saturday. He was the last of his immediate family and had no near relatives.

His wife, Justina Colston Chaney, died in 1946. Two children, Charles Thomas and Rena, also preceded him in death.

Before coming to Jacksonville he was a farmer in the Yatesville community. The remains were taken to the Williamson Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

VASCONCELLOS INFANT BURIAL RITES TODAY

Funeral services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Joy Vasconcellos, 1144 S. Main street, will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Jacksonville East Cemetery. The Rev. C. Frank Janssen will officiate.

The baby was born at Passavant hospital at 6:10 a.m. Friday and died at 1 p.m. Saturday. The remains were taken to the Cody & Son Memorial home.

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I. S. B. Employees Hold Annual Xmas Dinner Friday

The annual Christmas dinner for employees of the Illinois School for the Blind was held Friday evening in the main dining rooms.

Arrangements for the event, which included bingo, card games and a gift exchange, were made by Charles Gutzman, chairman, Jeanette Taylor, vice chairman, Frank Ogle, entertainment chairman, and Mrs. Margaret Woodall, refreshment chairman.

The supper climaxed a week of Christmas activities at the school. The annual opera, directed by Mrs. Norma Reid, was presented Wednesday morning by 35 children of the primary department.

Mrs. Reid was assisted by Mrs. Marjorie Watson, Mrs. Betty Cole, Miss Rose McGuire, Miss Miriam Russell, Mrs. Mary Potts, Miss Lena Hill, Miss Betty Witmer, and Fred Meyers.

Mrs. Armeada Zell directed the annual Christmas program given Tuesday morning by the girls' glee club and mixed chorus.

Christmas parties, a dinner and caroling preceded the closing of school on Thursday. Students from Chicago and points north left for home at 8:38 a.m. Friday in special cars of the Chicago and Alton railroad. They were accompanied by Mrs. Norma Hoskins and Mrs. Bertie Cox.

Nursing Society Plans Inventory Of U. S. Nurses

Mrs. Lena Dietz, director of nursing at the Passavant hospital, has received word that the American Nurses' association will direct a complete inventory of all professional registered nurses in the United States.

The association will launch its nationwide canvass by the mailing of a questionnaire to all professional registered nurses from the office of the state nurse-licensing boards in each state and territory. Final tabulations are expected to be complete by June, 1949.

The program, conducted at the request of the National Security Resources board, will provide complete information about existing and potential nursing personnel to meet the nation's needs, both during peacetime and in case of national emergency.

Mrs. Dietz, past president of district nine of the nursing association, was recently succeeded by Miss Florence Buchanan, former Jacksonville nurse.

Funeral Services At Alsey Saturday For L. Pfenninger

Glasgow — Funeral services for Mrs. Laura Pfenninger, well-known resident and former postmistress of Alsey, were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Alsey Baptist church.

The Rev. F. V. Wright, pastor of the Winchester Baptist church, officiated.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Joe Sanderson and Mrs. George Lettice, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Wilma Priest.

The floral tributes were cared for by Mrs. Addie Black, Mrs. Orval Hoots, Mrs. Herman Hieronymus and Mrs. Irl Bowman.

Casketbearers were Wayne Lettice, Gus Gauges, Orval Hoots, Basil Northrop, George and Herman Hieronymus.

Burial was in the Winchester cemetery.

Jailed On Assault. Robbery Charges

Farnard McPike, Jacksonville Negro, was arraigned in the court of Justice of the Peace C. S. Smith Saturday afternoon on a charge of assault and robbery.

The complaining witness, Emil Turner, also of Jacksonville, alleged that he was struck in the head Friday night at the corner of Lafayette avenue and West street and robbed of more than \$30.

Turner reported the alleged robbery to the Jacksonville police department and shortly afterwards, Chief of Police Frank Kilborn and Captain Ike Flynn placed McPike under arrest.

Justice Smith placed McPike's bond at \$3,000 which he was unable to furnish. He was taken to the county jail where he will await a preliminary hearing to be held Tuesday morning.

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Shalla-Hocking Rites Solemnized Last Night

Miss Marie Shalla became the bride of James O. Hocking of Springfield in a pretty ceremony performed Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Grace Methodist church by the Rev. Frank Marston.

The bride, lovely in a pearl pink floor-length wedding gown and short matching veil, carried a white prayer book with an orchid corsage. Her attendant, June Colucci, wore a floor-length dress of pale lavender. She carried a bouquet of mixed flowers, centered with roses.



MRS. JAMES O. HOCKING

The groom was attended by Fletcher Hocking, his brother. Two of the groom's brothers-in-law, Lloyd Lovell and Nelson Greene, served as ushers. Candles were lighted by Mrs. Evelyn Shalla, sister-in-law of the bride, and Mrs. Lloyd Lovell, sister of the groom.

Following the ceremony a reception, attended by about fifty relatives and friends, was held at the church. Cake and punch were served by Mrs. Hattie Palsgrove, Mrs. Evelyn Shalla, Mrs. Lloyd Lovell, Mrs. Fletcher Hocking and Mrs. Nelson Greene.

The couple left for a wedding trip. Mrs. Hocking's going away outfit included a dark green crepe draped dress with green accessories. She also wore her wedding corsage.

Mrs. Hocking is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Shalla, 1538 South Main street. She attended Jacksonville High school. Mr. Hocking, a graduate of the Franklin High school, served three years with the navy.

Upon their return, Mr. and Mrs. Hocking will be at home at 1538 S. Main street.

N. H. Deweese, Former Resident, Dies At Denver

Norman H. Deweese, 77, formerly of Jacksonville and for the past 17 years a resident of Denver, Colo., passed away Saturday morning at Denver.

Born near Alexander on May 22, 1871, the son of James P. and Jennie Trimble Deweese, Mr. Deweese engaged in farming until about 30 years ago. At that time he moved to Jacksonville, where he went into the real estate business.

He was united in marriage to Eva Jane King in a ceremony performed Aug. 31, 1898, at Petersburg. Six children were born of this union.

Surviving are his wife, the following children, James Ralph of Klamath Falls, Ore., John Russell of Berry, Miss Doris Deweese of Jacksonville, Howard of Springfield and Orville of Omaha, and two brothers, Samuel of Riverside, Calif., and George E. of Jacksonville.

One son, George, preceded him in death.

Mr. Deweese, a member of the Ashland Christian church, had been in failing health for the past three years.

Fluffy fibers of the mineral asbestos are being woven with cotton to produce a truly absorbent dish towel. The fabric is 20 per cent asbestos and 80 per cent cotton. Tiny bundles of asbestos fibers in the cloth blot up the water.

Scott County People Form Cancer Society

Winchester — The organization meeting of the Scott county chapter of the American Cancer society was held Friday evening, Dec. 17, at the office of the Farm Bureau in Winchester. Two of the society's educational films on cancer were shown: "The Doctor Speaks His Mind" and "Traitor Within."

The following officers were elected: chairman, Kenneth Cunningham, Winchester; vice chairman, Dr. William O'Reilly, Winchester; secretary, Mrs. W. G. Watt, Murrayville; treasurer, C. Warren Breeding, Winchester; lay education chairman, Mrs. Paul H. Vannier, Bluffs; publicity chairman, Guy Paul, Winchester; and Mrs. Vanier.

Other members of the county committee are: Physicians, Dr. O. H. Berry, Bluffs; Dr. Paul Garrison, Winchester; Dr. R. R. Jones, Winchester; dentists, Dr. W. E. Harper, Winchester; Dr. E. C. Thorne, Bluffs; lay members, Mrs. Clarence Dobson, Alsey; Norbert L. Hutchins, Winchester; and Mrs. Randall Killgore, Winchester.

The program in the county will be limited to spreading education through films, talks, and literature and service. The research program of the society is done on a national level.

Mrs. R. E. Fields of Springfield, the field representative of central Illinois, presented the background of the society and its program.

Murrayville Rites For Lewis Canatsy To Be Held Mon.

Murrayville—Lewis Canatsy, 76, well known resident of this community, died at his home south of Murrayville at 5 o'clock Saturday morning after an illness of several months.

He was born near Scottsville, Ill., April 1, 1872 and had resided in Morgan county for 29 years. He was the son of Logan and Eliza Arendell Canatsy.

Mr. Canatsy was united in marriage with Miss Alice Dewey, April 17, 1912.

Surviving are the widow, two brothers, Martin Canatsy of Roodhouse and Frank Canatsy of Murrayville, and one sister, Mrs. Laura Shores of Pearl, Ill.

He was a member of the Baptist Church No. 9, at Modesto.

The body is at the Thompson Funeral Home where services will be held at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon with the Rev. W. H. Spencer of Jacksonville officiating.

Burial will be in Richwoods cemetery east of Roodhouse.

Marigold Tag Day Receipts Benefit Gold Star Orphans

The American War Dads, chapter No. 28, Jacksonville, assisted by the War Moms, gave a Christmas party for the Gold Star orphans of World War II, at the American Legion home Friday night.

Eligible children from Jerseyville, Winchester, Barry, Arenzville, Warrenton, Roodhouse and Jacksonville, and their mothers, were present. For a moment, Santa Claus was bewildered, thinking he had stopped at the wrong town, but after being assured he was in the right place he went right to work handing out popcorn balls, candy canes, oranges and well wrapped gifts and toys that were stacked under a beautiful tree furnished by the Legion.

The children's bank books were brought to the party and the funds which were received on Marigold Tag Day in November were divided and placed in the banks for them.

William H. Graubner, president of the local chapter, applauded the generosity of the Morgan county residents who contributed to the fund.

"The money that you so freely gave on that day will help educate the children whose fathers went out to protect our homes, but did not return."

Beardstown Club To Sing Monday At Chandlerville

Chandlerville—The Beardstown Choral club, directed by Mrs. Ruth Dietrich, will sing Monday evening at the Chandlerville Women's club Christmas musicale.

Mrs. Harold Walker will accompany the group, composed of 20 women. The musicale was arranged by Mrs. Albert Nelson.

In charge of the gift exchange and party are Mrs. Dale Huffman, Mrs. Kathryn Clegg, Mrs. Luther Warner, Mrs. Martin ZetTur, Mrs. Olive Carr, Mrs. Virgil Alcorn and Miss Edna Hiernan.

To Marry Soon

Miss Mary Ann Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cook, will become the bride of Edward Siltman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Siltman, in a ceremony to be conducted Christmas evening at the bride's home.

Americans spent \$698,100,000 for sugar during a single year.

Another \$250 Donated To Nichols Foundation

Jacksonville citizens and organizations contributed \$250 to the Nichols Christmas Foundation during the past week, \$150 of the amount being added to the principal of the foundation.

The Jacksonville Junior Chamber of Commerce contributed \$100 for current expenses, which will be used this year to purchase gifts for needy children of this city.

The committee which purchases and distributes the gifts has completed its lists and delivery cards are being prepared by Chief of Police Frank D. Kiloran and four teachers in the grade schools.

The Jacksonville Journal and Courier will continue receiving gifts for the Nichols Foundation for another week.

Those who contributed during the past week include: Jacksonville Junior Chamber of Commerce, Loyal Order of Moose, Senior class of Jacksonville high school, Claude C. Gustina, A Friend, The Farmers State Bank and Trust company, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benson, Mary R. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sibert, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. DeShara.

PRE HOLIDAY CLEARANCE

BETTER SUITS, MILLINERY, DRESSES AND FORMALS ALL GREATLY REDUCED. All Sales Cash and Final

HAIGH'S SHOP

Dunlap Hotel

Abigail C. Baldwin Dies In Duluth

Harry Capps, 1553 Mound avenue received word Saturday from Albert Baldwin, Duluth, Minn., of the death of Mr. Baldwin's wife, Abigail Clapp Baldwin, former Jacksonville resident.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at their home in Duluth.

Mrs. Baldwin is the sister of Professor E. B. Clapp, formerly of the Illinois College faculty.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Drs. Black and Bucklin and nurses and nurse aides at Passavant hospital who cared for me during my illness. Also friends and relatives for cards and flowers. Fred Thady.

IN GRATITUDE

To my relatives and friends making the occasion of my 91st Birthday so bright and happy with calls, cards and flowers. Ada F. Funk

NOTICE

Union Barber Shop will be open Thursday all day before Xmas Day and New Year's Day.



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